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Behind the Scenes at Geneva

Private meetings between leading statesmen from West and East took place Monday prior to formal opening of the Geneva conference. Above, U.S. State Secretary Dulles and British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden discuss the possibility of joint action in the Indo-China war.

Here Dulles talks with French Foreign Minister Georges Bidault again, no doubt, on the same situation in Indo-China and a possible course of action at the conference to effect a cease-fire.

Clash Averted As Talks Begin On Korea Issue

GENEVA (CP)—The Geneva conference on Korea and Indo-China opened Monday with an unexpected show of harmony. Thai, said External Affairs Minister Pearson of Canada after the 20-minute curtain-raiser, was "very encouraging—as far as it goes." He added: "The problems of substance remain."

The problems of substance are at the long-smouldering Korean issue, to which the conference decided in turn at once and the urgent question of Indo-China's fate made more pressing by the precarious position of the French garrison at besieged Dien Bien Phu.

Preserving big work by Foreign Secretary Eden of Britain and a conciliatory attitude on the part of Soviet chief delegate Molotov enabled the big powers to avert an immediate clash on the order of once status of Red China.

It had been expected that Russia would demand recognition of the Peiping delegation as an equal of the four in sitting powers—Britain, France, the United States and the Soviet Union with Chinese Foreign Minister Chou En-lai sharing the rotating chairmanship.

COMPROMISE FORMULA

Eden and Molotov produced a compromise formula: The chairman would be rotated among Eden, representing the West, Molotov for the Soviet bloc, and Prince Wan Waithayakon of Thailand representing the neutrals.

Except for steel-helmeted troops, some with bayonets fixed, and uniformed black warders, the streets were empty.

The machine guns on top of four buildings cut loose with the first of 3,000 rounds when two Sabre jets roared overhead. The harmless "bombs" and the guns firing blanks went off at effective intervals.

Fifteen minutes after the first siren, a mobile public address unit went through the empty streets, advising that enemy planes were near. Two tanks began to move. Everyone, even troops and warders, were to take cover.

Some compared the spectacle of the gloomy skies, wet, empty streets and sounds of battle to wartime London.

"It reminded me of Manila in the Second World War," said Admiral Barbey.

LEAFLETS MISS

Five minutes before the theoretical A-bomb was to be dropped, a B29 bomber flew over, but missed the target with leaflets reading, "This could be an A-bomb." The leaflets missed downtown completely.

Promptly on schedule, a 10-engine B36 bomber, prime atom bomb carrier of the U.S. Air Force roared over the city twice at about 1,200 feet. It was then that the bomb was presumed to have dropped.

National Guard gunners fired the last of their blanks. More "bombs" were shot off. The "all clear" signal was sounded from a siren that can be heard for 10 miles.

FIRST TEST

This was the first time that attempts at mass evacuation in a civil defense test.

Civil defense officials estimated more than 11,000 persons walked out of a 10-by-15-block area. As many as 20,000 had been expected to take part. Bad weather was blamed for the smaller number.

Despite the evacuation, "the bomb killed 8,000, injured 20,000 and left 42,000 homeless," officials said in an evaluation of theoretical damage.

Cohn 'Briefs' McCarthy

Roy M. Cohn, left chief counsel for Senator McCarthy, exchanges whispered comments with his chief during the Washington hearings on the fiery senator's squabble with the U.S. army.

In Army Red Hunt

McCarthy Charge Denounced as Lie

WASHINGTON (UP)—Army Secretary Robert T. Stevens denounced Monday as an unequivocal lie the charge by Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy that Stevens tried to divert McCarthy's Red hunt to the navy and air force.

He also denied under oath that the army used Pfc. G. David Schine, former McCarthy aide, as a "hostage" to discourage McCarthy's probing into alleged Red infiltration at the army's Ft. Monmouth, N.J., radar centre.

Fighting at times to control his temper, Stevens exercised he tried to get the Wisconsin Republican to suspend the Fort Monmouth, N.J., security investigation and let the army take over.

But he said this was only because McCarthy gave a "very unfair" picture of the situation there with his "constant hammering in the headlines." He said he made clear that McCarthy could renew the inquiry if McCarthy felt the army's investigation was "unsatisfactory."

Stevens testified for the third day at hearings by the Senate investigating subcommittee into the army's charges that McCarthy, aides and Roy M. Cohn, his chief counsel, used "improper means" to seek lenient treatment for Schine.

MUST TRYING DAY

It was by far the most trying day for Stevens, who faces more of the same today. The earlier hearings had dwelt on his detailed presentation of the army case with little searching or hostile questioning.

At the end of the session Stevens was told to refresh his memory on certain points and "neither particularize" or withdraw his charge against sub-committee staff director Francis P. Carr, one of the principals in the case.

Special Counsel Ray H. Jenkins, questioning turned slightly sharper as he began the so-called "cross-examination" phase which involved Mr. Carthy's counter-charges.

He demanded to know if Stevens had been "especially nice and considerate and tender to this boy Schine to persuade the Senator to do what he did in the investigation.

"Positively and completely not," replied Stevens.

Jenkins, bearing down with his rasping Tennessee twang, then told Stevens it was charged that "from time to time Carr, who is a friend of Senator McCarthy, "has asked you to pull a favor of the plan to put the question of increased school expenditures to the Saanich ratepayers in referendum form."

The program ratepayers will be asked to approve will include 22 projects spread over a six-year period. Four of the proposed projects are entirely new buildings.

Also being requested is a new school board office building to be built on the Brentwood property, and additions to the 12 existing schools in the Saanich area.

Tentative locations for the new schools are Deep Cove, Saanichton, Oldfield Road and Sayward Road.

The complete program is believed to be large enough to cover requirements within the foreseeable future.

It is reported that preliminary work can begin soon after the referendum is approved.

Total cost of the program is given as $1,582,500.

The board was unanimously in favor of the plan to put the

RAY H. JENKINS

room audience at the televised inquiry from John applauded McCarthy. This was when Mr. Carthy complained that questioning by Sen John L. McClellan (D-Ark) carried the "inland" implication that McCarthy could be "bought off."

"There's no evidence he (McCarthy) can ever be bought off and he never will be bought off," McCarthy said, referring to himself in the third person.

Acting chairman Karl E. Mundt (R-S.D.) pounded his gavel for order and instructed guards to remove any spectators who engage in crowing. McCarthy, who addressed Stevens as "Bob," and Cohn sought to pin down the secretary on the exact role subcommittee director Francis P. Carr played in the case. Carr was listed in the army's charges as a person that earlier he was "relatively inactive."

U.K. Leaders To Question War Policies

Assurances Sought On Indo-China Issue

LONDON (Reuters)—Anxious British politicians are expected to press Prime Minister Churchill for reassurance that Britain will not get actively involved in the Indo-China battle when Parliament reassembles today after its Easter recess.

Diplomatic events have moved swiftly during the 12-day adjournment, while the deterioration of the situation in Indo-China has forced major western policy decisions.

Politicians of Churchill's own Conservative party, as well as the Labor opposition are anxious for a clear statement from the prime minister on Britain's possible role in Indo-China.

The cabinet almost certainly decided its position on the subject over the week end, when Foreign Minister Eden unexpectedly flew here from Paris to attend the first cabinet session called on a Sunday in seven years. Eden then hurried on to the Geneva conference, where he was reported to have told U.S. State Secretary Dulles that Britain can make no substantial response to France's urgent appeal for help.

TROOPS CONSIDERED

Earlier reports here said that the cabinet was weighing the possibility of shifting some of Britain's 30,000 troops in Malaya to Indo-China.

Clement Attlee, the Labor party leader, plans to ask Churchill today in Parliament whether he can clarify the events of the week end, and make a statement on Indo-China.

Another Labor member, Reginald Sorensen, already is scheduled to ask Churchill for assurance that the government has made and will make no agreement with the United States or Asian defense measures without full consultation with other members of the Commonwealth.

The labor party is disturbed by the recent Eden-Dulles pressure to explore the possibilities of a defense pact for Southeast Asia and the western Pacific if the Geneva conference makes no headway on Indo-China.

Aussies Set Up Probe

CANBERRA, Australia (UP)—Australia set up a royal commission today to investigate disclosures by a confessed Soviet spy of a widespread Russian espionage network in Australia.

The commission will look into revelations by the former Soviet third secretary in the Russian Canberra embassy, Vladimir Petrov. Early this month Petrov asked the Australians for asylum and confessed he was the chief spy in a Soviet espionage ring here.

The Russian last Friday broke off diplomatic relations with Australia to protest this country's handling of the Petrov case and that of his blonde wife who also asked asylum.

Names and details of the commission will be announced tomorrow government sources said. The commission is empowered with full investigatory powers and probably will consist of three judges, one each from the supreme courts of New South Wales, Victoria and South Australia.

Thousands Leave Spokane

Evacuation Test Sobering Success

SPOKANE (AP)—Spokane stamped "Operation Walkout" a sobering success Monday and officials said it proves a metropolitan area could promptly be evacuated quickly in event of an A-bomb attack.

Despite wind, rain and 40-degree weather, more than 11,000 people poured out of buildings and marched to "safety" in the new chatter of 30-caliber machine guns on roofs, tops and the noise of aerial "bombs."

"I was astounded," said Vice-Admiral Daniel Barbey, the state civil defense director who watched the exercise from atop a building at the city centre.

A "red alert" siren blast started the walkout. Eight minutes later the downtown streets in this city of 175,000 were deadly silent.

Sending Men Still Possible

WASHINGTON (AP)—Highly placed officials said Monday the Eisenhower administration has not abandoned the idea of sending American ground fighting forces to Indo-China as a last resort.

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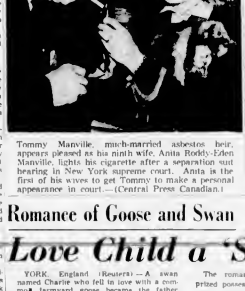
Same Husband, Ninth Wife



Tommy Manville, much-married asbestos heir, appears pleased as his ninth wife, Anita Roddy-Eden Manville, lights his cigarette after a separation suit hearing in New York supreme court. Anita is the first of his wives to get Tommy to make a personal appearance in court.—(Central Press Canadian.)

Romance of Goose and Swan

Love Child a 'Swoose'!

YORK, England (Reuters)—A swan named Charlie who fell in love with a common farmyard goose became the father of a "swoose" Monday.

The little one looks just like "dad"—long beak, graceful neck and big feet and he whistles.

For Janey, the farmyard mother, the quaint romance has meant a new home and a devoted husband and child both of them far more elegant than her sitter goose back on the farm.

The romance began when Charlie a prized possession of the park commission, flew from his lake home to a nearby farm and regaled the goose. He was such a devoted lover that the park attendant could not get him back to the park lake.

So the commission forked out £5 to buy Janey and give her a home on the lake beside her devoted hubby. Friend the egg was laid and Monday out came the "swoose."

School Projects Total $1,500,000

Approval to spend more than $1,500,000 on new school buildings and improvements will be sought by the school board of District 63 on May 29 it was decided during a meeting of the board in Sydney last night.

Boast to Girl Claimed

Murder Charge Laid In 'Perfect Crime'

WELLAND, Ont. (CP)—Investigations of a claim that Bruce MacLean boasted to a girl friend that he drowned his wife in a "perfect crime" resulted in a murder charge here last Monday against the 23-year-old Welland man.

MacLean was remanded in custody to April 30 after his arraignment before Justice of the Peace J. D. Watt. He was charged alter two hours of inquiry testimony by Welland police.

FREED ON BAIL

Only a few hours earlier he had been released on $800 bail on a charge of obtaining $1,600 by fraud from 20-year-old Sylvia Davies of Port Colborne, Ont., who became engaged to marry him after his wife was drowned last August.

Miss Davies' testimony at the preliminary hearing of the fraud case Friday set in motion the investigation that led to MacLean's arrest on a murder charge.

She said in court that MacLean impersonated her during a telephone conversation and told her he had committed the perfect crime when he took his wife boating. He had told her, she said, that he upset the canoe in which he and his wife were boating on the Welland River and swam around until his wife, a non-swimmer had drowned.

TRAGIC ACCIDENT

The drowning of 26-year-old Elizabeth Doreen MacLean was termed accidental at that time.

Miss Davies in testimony Friday, said MacLean threatened to get rid of her if she persisted in bringing charges against him. She said she gave MacLean $1,600 to pay off a loan on a house after they became engaged but that he spent the money on a car, furniture and clothing for himself and his three-year-old son.

MRS. BRUCE MACLEAN

SYLVIA DAVIES

Garden Notes

Bark Ringing May Aid Crop

BY M. W. HESSLT THIS is a little wicky-wacky and the bull rings about four inches apart. On young trees which are growing too fast, for making too much wood and bearing no blossoms, lifting and girdling is really to be preferred. But if there isn't time for this, it is quite easy to girdle the trunk completely. Sap is very narrow stuff, about one eighth of an inch wide. It blocks the trees, and it's quite a big job to stop it after the slight gap in the bark.

Bark-ringing should be started but at the right time and this is when you see the buds just ready to pick or while bud stage and petal fall in other words, while the trees are blossoming. The sap is rising freely then and a ring form quickly to heal from returning to the roots and branches instead of the top of the tree where they have the effect of stimulating the forms that of fruit buds.

The operation consists of removing a thin strip of bark from the trunk, or main branches of a tree, the return flow of sap from leaf to root is interrupted. Certain foods manufactured by the growing fruits are prevented from returning to the roots and branches instead of the top of the tree where they have the effect of stimulating the forms that of fruit buds.

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Cherries, plums and peaches which generally fruit on spurs, but untrimmed trees can sometimes be redeemed by bark slipping when they are bark bound. This condition occurs when the bark is too tight and overcropping or when a dry season has toughened the bark and made it unable to expand with the growth of the tree. Bark cured by inserting a sharp knife in the bark up near the branch and cutting a slit about an eighth of an inch wide and two inches long. Sap will flow out without removing any. This type of cut must be cured with adhesive tape.

China's Diplomat Has Fooled West's Best

Chou En-Lai Beguiling Foe

WASHINGTON — Where the foreign ministers West and Chou En-Lai met in Geneva, the personality on hand served with greatest interest no doubt was Chou En-Lai himself, the Peiping delegation of Communist China.

The fact that the new China is for the first time in amazing and a seat beside Russia and across effort to persuade Chinese Na- the table from the top national leaders of the free world is enough to coalesce General Marshall discussion attention upon the Chi- nese blue-coat for this failure be- cause Chou En-Lai comes with the actionaries." In the Nationalist was regarded as the most Communist and irreconcilable enemy of the Chinese Communists.

Among those beguiled to turn their backs on China were Gen. George C. Marshall and the late Earl Jowett, respectively American and Brit- ish authorities on China in the years immediately indica- ting the Second World War.

After a year of unsuccessful to persuade Chinese Na- tionalists and Communists to coalesce General Marshall di- failure be Chinese Na- tionalists and Communists to coalesce General Marshall di- rected, in the assump- tion of leadership by liberal Democrats. It was on hearing this liberal advice that Britain became second only to India in extending diplomatic recognition to the Peiping gov- ernment.

There is ground for believ- ing that even Chiang Kai-shek, Generalissimo of the Formosa and potential collaborator over a great many years.

After Chiang was captured by Chinese Communists in 1936, Chou was credited with saving his life and finally engineer- ing his release in return for a promise to let Chiang fly to Nanking to negotiate the Communists' gang of war against Japan lasted.

In 1937 Chou arrived in Chungking as head of a Com- munist mission to liaise with the Kuomintang government and remained there most of the time for more than 10 years. He was ordered to get out only after the Communist capture of Manchuria and launched the full fledged civil war that forced Chiang to flee to Formosa.

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Eat and Grow Younger

Honey Excellent Replacement For Starch-Laden White Sugar

This is one of a series of daily articles from the best selling book "Eat and Grow Younger," which provides valuable information on nutrition, and one of the simplest and most effective diets. By following the foods set out here, you can literally eat your way to youth.

BY LELAND ROGERS

Please don't get the idea that because I warn so constantly against the pitfalls of white sugar I am against all sweets in your Eat and Grow Younger diet. Enjoy a sweet as much as you But I try to confine these sweets to those that will hydrate that will make a diet rich in minerals, vitamins, fats, quota of vitamins and minerals that is, to nutritionists and big- dessert made with pure honey. These are natural sweets and are sure strictly prescribed at a white sugar reference.

Perhaps you've never been told that honey is the most wholesome carbohydrate available to us as a sweet; that it is the only predigested sugar in nature, being 99 per cent predigested when it comes to table. Although the dextrose or levulose constituents called "grape sugar" or "blood sugar" in honey is the sweetest of all sugars, it is also the mildest, the easiest to digest and the best source of quick, lasting energy.

Honey is one of the few sweets that possess natural laxative properties. It is also one of the quickest stimulants known. Half an ounce (one tablespoon) of honey in a cup of hot water is one of the best of setting irritabilities in cases of shock, fainting or after a hemorrhage. Moreover the use of honey in the diet as a sweetener does not result in the heavy production of body fat that follows the use of 100 per cent starch, nonvitamin, no mineral white sugar.

Most honey can also supply and vitamins and a good proportion of food minerals, plus some enzymes, and a few amino acids—protein) together with dextrose and other enzymes that help digestion. Can the same be said of white sugar? Indeed not! You get nothing but pure starch when you buy white sugar and best your problem is how to cut down on starches not increase them.

When you order honey, use your principal Eat and Grow Younger sweetener, you'll be using a sweet that has already won its medals from nutritional science. For honey is not simply sweetness, it is a beneficial food.

Honey, as a supreme confectionery for strenuous activity, was appreciated in ancient times. The unparalleled athletics of ancient Greece attained Fame of Olympic games on honey. And today, mountain climbers and long-distance swimmers use large amounts of honey in their training diet.

Deep-sea divers too have learned that honey is more from the energy needed for the grueling work. Back in 19[illegible] the divers who were chosen to survey the wreck of the Lusitania at the bottom of the North Atlantic started well in advance preparing themselves for the tremendous job ahead of them. Starting out with small amounts of honey they gradually increased their daily portion of this natural sweet until they were eating a pound and a half of honey every day for three weeks just prior to jumping their descent in the ocean floor.

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European physicians profit

Aerial Photography Keeps Pace with Jets

OTTAWA (CP) — Modern photo- graphy keeps pace with modern jet aircraft, it was an hour ago, when the pictures from the RCAF showing the crash of such aircraft on the local airport, a newspaper visitor on the grounds.

The RCAF's photographic de- partment, he took here Sun- daytime to build before famous "Lancaster" photographs of the mysterious abroad of the speeding jet age.

Squdn Ldr. Wayne Pearce, to who heads the branch, says had while cameras and film are new, the methods of aerial photography are as old as the panoramic cameras for which groups used to pose in 1900. In those days the big stick was to get into the picture. Those in finding on the exterior edge of the group and then running around the back to the left side.

Two devices, the slit camera and continuous strip film, has eased from the panoramic camera and with modern tech- after the Communist capture of Manchuria and launched the full fledged civil war that forced Chiang to flee to Formosa.

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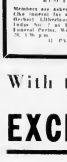

EYE EGG

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A SHERLOCK HOLMES STORY

The Sign of Four

SIR ARTHUR CONAN DOYLE

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He looked about him in the slow, methodical fashion of old age.

"Is Mr Sherlock Holmes here?" said he.

"No, but I'm acting for him. You can tell me any message you have for him."

"It was to himself I was to tell it," said he.

"But I tell you that I am acting for him. Was it about Abdiel Smith's boy?"

"Yes, I knows well where it is. An' I knows where the man he is after are. An' I knows where the treasure is. I knows all about it."

"Then tell me, and I shall let him know."

"It was to him I was to tell it. He required with the people last evening of a very old man.

"Well, you must wait for him."

"No, no, I can't gain to lose a while day as I gave up one for. If Mr Holmes isn't here then Mr Holmes must find it all out for himself. I don't care about the look of either of you, and I won't tell a word."

He shuffled towards the door, but Athelney Jones got in front of him. "Wait a bit, my friend," said he. "You have important information, and you must not walk off. We shall keep you, whether you like or not, until our friend arrives."

The old man made a little run towards the door but as Athelney Jones put his broad back against it he recognized the uselessness of resistance.

"Pretty sort of treatment this!" he cried stamping his stick. "I come here in see a gentleman, and you two, who I never saw in my life, seize me and treat me in this fashion."

"You will be none the worse," said "We shall pay you for the loss of your time. Or you are here on the side, you will not long in waiting."

He came across sullenly enough and seated himself with his face turning on his hands. Jones and I resumed our cigars and our talk. Suddenly from every Holmes' voice broke in upon us with "I think that you much other a case, Watson. We both starting in one there but I am sure of your road and telephone to make sure."

"Then I shall want two launch men in case of resistance," said.

"There will be two or three in the boat when I arrive."

"When we secure the men we shall get the treasure I think we should give precedence to my friend here to take the box round to the young lady to whom half of it rightfully belongs. Let her be the first to open it. Eh Watson?"

"It would be a great pleasure."

"Rather an interesting proceeding," said Jones, shaking his head. "Moreover, the whole thing is irregular, and I suppose I must wink at it. The treasure must after-wards be handed over to the authorities until after the official investigation."

"Certainly. One issue paper, I should much like to have a few details about the matter from the lips of Jonathan Small himself. You know I like to work the details of my cases out. There is no objection to my having an unofficial interview with him either here, my rooms or elsewhere as long as he is safe guarded."

"Well, you are master of the situation. I have no proof yet of the existence of this Jona than Small. However, if you can catch him I don't see how I can refuse you an interview with him."

"That is understood then?"

"Perfectly. Is there anything else?"

"Only that I insist upon your dining with us."

(To be continued)

Weather Forecast

April 27, 1954

(Government Forecast)

TODAY

A few clouds. Little change in temperature. Winds light. Sunshine Monday. 10 hours. Precipitation Yesterday .06 inch.

RECORDED TEMPERATURES

High Monday	52
Low Monday	38

FORECAST TEMPERATURES

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Low today	38

SEARCH DIFFS

To determine times a Search light will be used to search for a lost plane, the Search Officer has to allow for half-time from Sunset (Sun Highest and Summer Daylight 22 minutes.

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TEMPERATURES

(To 7 P.M.)

	Max.	Min.	Precip
Vancouver	52	38	
Victoria	53	38	
Penticton	60	40	01
Prince Rupert	45	36	
Kamloops	59	40	01
Lytton	60	40	
Cranbrook	56	34	01
Prince George	54	34	01
Quesnel	54	34	01
Mount Cain	38	28	07
Edmonton	46	26	01
Calgary	46	26	01
Lethbridge	48	24	01
Swift Current	46	26	01
Regina	46	26	01
Prince Albert	46	26	01
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(Pacific Standard Time)

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CAMPBELL RIVER—A committee has been appointed to investigate a grievance of fisherman who object to paying a fee at the government wharf here. George Watson, spokesman for the fishermen, said that no other government wharf demands payment unless a carfaker service is provided.

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Crush Aggressor With A-Bombs, Malenkov Warns

MOSCOW (Reuters) — Premier Georgi Malenkov told the Supreme Soviet Monday that if atomic weapons were used in a war against Russia "there can be no doubt that the aggressor would be crushed by the same weapon."

Such an adventure, he added, would lead inevitably to the downfall of the capitalist social system.

Nikita S. Khrushchev, first secretary of the Soviet Communist party, joined Malenkov in denouncing United States policy as aggressive.

Addressing the Supreme Soviet after Malenkov, Khrushchev said "If anybody thinks, dear friends, that we are weak, we will show them like Hitler just how weak we are."

WARTIME PACTS

Malenkov declared that the arrangements of European security were the British-Soviet pact of 1942 and the French-Soviet pact of 1944. He said these pacts were sealed with the best blood of the Russian, British and French people.

The pacts, both scheduled to last 20 years, provided for mutual aid against further attack by Germany or her associates and pledged post-war cooperation, including economic cooperation.

The Franco-Soviet pact provided that neither party would contract alliances or enter conditions aimed against each other.

Malenkov attacked the proposed European Defense Community and declared the proposals the Soviet Union offered at the recent Berlin conference for a 32-nation European security pact "can be a real basis

Oddities

LONDON (CP) — The school magazine at the high school in suburban Bushey Park, where children of U.S. servicemen attend, has pulled the students on "What would you most like to take back to the United States?"

Reply from one of the girls: "The Duke of Edinburgh."

Reply from another: "The next boat."

ORILLIA, Ont. (CP) — Provincial W. H. Rohillard cleaned out his truck and said he found a radium deposit.

Rohillard, who lives in Gravenhurst, said it happened this way. He and a friend were having lunch in the bush in Renfrew county. They threw a few rocks in the truck and drove home. Last month Rohillard noticed the rocks and sent them to Ottawa for assaying. He said they gave radio active read ings of 0.35.

Ancient Cargo In Port at Last

MARSEILLE, (NANA) — A representing in value the price of a slave.

These valuable jugs were once delivered as the vessel which bore them foundered in Roman times off the French coast and lay there undisturbed for 2,000 years.

Latest technical gadgets, such as a television camera which transmits a picture on the village screen, will be used in the search for the treasure ship, what is going on at the sea bottom.

The leader of this enterprise, which bids fair to supply all the museums in the world with a fair amount of ancient Greek pitchers—is led by Capt. J. Y. Cousteau who has already made himself a name as an underwater explorer, and has in parts been assisted by a British oil company to scan the bottom of the Persian Gulf for likely oil formations.

Clemens at the University of Aix-Marseilles are awaiting their chance to analyze what remains of the old cargo to see if Greek wine had the same alcoholic content as modern varieties. As to ship-builders in the City of the Phoceans they have already discovered that Sextius vessel carried 20 tons of lead in its hold to counterbalance the weight of the cargo.

Drew Urges UN Ruling On Indo-China

OTTAWA (CP) — Hon. George Drew, Progressive Conservative leader, said Monday night the United Nations should be asked to decide whether the fighting in Indo-China is aggression similar to that of Communist China in Korea.

I tell then, people should stop trying to hurdle the problem of how the free nations are going to seek together to prevent aggression, he said.

Class Paper of 10-Year-Old Strictly 20th-Century Stuff

SALT LAKE CITY (NANA) — This could only happen in a 20th-Century schoolroom.

Warren Bradford, a 10-year-old Salt Lake City student, turned in this take-off on a popular radio program as a class paper:

"Boonie Dan and the Dragon

"I'm Boonie Dan, police man for the King. While I was making my rounds one quiet evening my charger reared and nearly threw me off. I pushed up my visor and pulled my six-lance, looking for trouble. There was a man in front of me with his hair on end. When I got to him, he said that a dragon had eaten his wife and burned up his home. So I went to my office and looked in my files. Only one dragon burned up homes and ate wives. That was 'Dragon-el.'

"So I got on my V-8 warhorse and went looking for Dragon-el. I held my trusty six-lance ready as I rode into the forest. Suddenly I heard a roar like 14 B-29 warhorses (those are the largest war horses). It was Dragon-el, who came at me through the trees. I leveled my six-lance and charged Dragon-el. I let him have a volley at 10 yards and he returned my fire with jets of flame from his Thompson liquid fire gun, mounted between his eyes . . .

"I wasn't hurt though because I was wearing my 20-gauge tin-can armor. The heat, though, sent the temperature inside up to 220 degrees. That burned me up. I was mad. I wheeled Kissface my warhorse around and charged again with all eight cylinders pounding . . . This time I took careful aim. Six shots from my six-lance and Dragon-el went down. He was only wounded and would stand trial.

"Trial was held on June 11, 1954. Sentence was from 2,000 to 50,000 years on the Boonie Dan rockpile."

Queen in Aden Today

ADEN (AP) — Gay bunting decked the streets of this sun scorched Indian ocean colony and more than a dozen Arab sultans and sheikhs arrived Monday for today's visit by the Queen.

The Queen and the Duke of Edinburgh, travelling home on their world-circling tour, will disembark at 9.30 a.m. local time to receive the homage of the 75-square-mile colony, legendary home of the Queen of Sheba.

Paying loyalty and homage to the young Queen will be nearly 20 sultans, sheikhs and emirs of the tiny feudal states of the south Arabian coast who are linked to Britain in the Aden protectorate.

The entourage will be marred somewhat by the boycott of five sultans and sheikhs who are opposing current British plans for a federation into a government roughly similar to that of the federation of Malaya.

Australian Diplomats Being Detained by Russians

MOSCOW (Reuters) — Australian Charge d'Affaires Brian Hill Monday called at the Russian foreign ministry but got no word of when he and his stranded embassy companions will be allowed to go home.

The Australian diplomats, who have been founded in Moscow since Friday when the Russian embassy officials embassy official Vladimir Pechenev told them they had sought asylum in Australia.

Russia broke diplomatic relations last Friday in response to Australian action in freeing Australian officials.

Mrs. Evdokia Petrov, from Canberra, authoritative sources said that departure of the 10 guards escorting her back to Australia is being delayed. Moscow. Her husband former eminent has reserved five seats mind Russian embassy officials for Mrs. Petrov on a Europe-bound Russian airliner at the request of the Italian and turned over evidence Russian embassy. Ship reserva-tions last Friday in response to a Communist espionage ring in Australia. Ship reservations were made for next week the Australian officials.

Mrs. Evdokia Petrov, from Canberra, authoritative sources said.

The incident raised speculation

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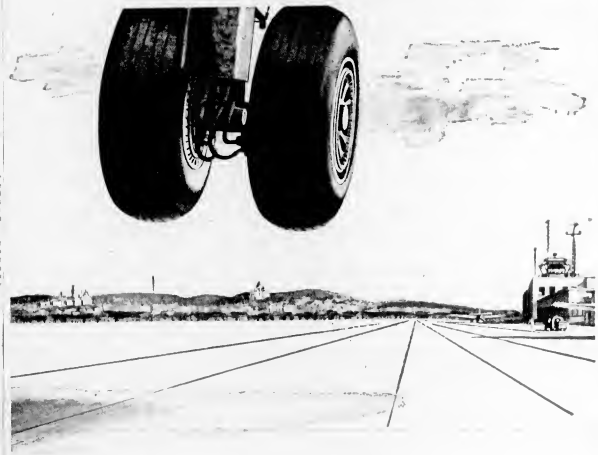

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Give the Act a Fair Trial

IT would be a thousand pities if Victoria made any kind of an exception of itself under the liquor laws of the province in the plebiscite which will be voted upon by the public tomorrow. For the first time since prohibition and the insidious growth of the beer monopoly the province is moving away from conditions which cannot be defended upon any social or other grounds. Beer halls in the bush, roadside plunge spots where motor accidents were bred by the score, drinking by the gallon without recourse to food, parties in hotel rooms with their concomitant abuses—these were the products of the old liquor control act which is now repealed. Why would anyone want to move back to them?

The Bennett government deserved the thanks of British Columbia when it swept all that into the discard. It appointed the Stevens-Swanson-Home commission as an independent body to take a good, straight look at the liquor situation in the province. The commission did just that. It declared itself appalled by the conditions it found. The commission produced a set of recommendations which impressed the public as going a long way toward the answer to intolerable conditions. The Social Credit regime has implemented in a non-partisan fashion the main body of those recommendations in a straightforward and workmanlike code in the new liquor control law. The statute has been passed by the Legislature, which gave it close scrutiny and clause by clause attention. All that remains is to give the new law a fair trial. That is the real issue in the plebiscite.

In the campaign which has preceded the voting there has been some extravagence of assertion on all sides. Those who fear that the new law might lead to an opening up of drinking places everywhere have not understood the statute. Licensing control can be stricter than it has ever been before. There must be proof of identity and of due performance at each step of the way. No government in its senses is going to flood any community with beverage outlets. What is aimed at, and what the law provides, is the exercise of proper control over liquor hoarding; the privilege of light wines and mall beverages with meals in restaurants, cocktails in regulated hotel lounges, beer by the glass in public licensed premises, and reasonable accommodation for the traveling public which did not exist before. All of this will be let the open under full inspection.

There is nothing in the plebiscite which gives the right to any section of the public to decide the taste and habits of any other. Individuals cannot be changed by law, and no legislature in its right mind would ever attempt to do so. That was the folly of the prohibition period—and there never was in this province or elsewhere in Canada a more disastrous failure. It is not more secret drinking and bootlegging which is the answer, but open and above board liquor control under such conditions as will bring about more rational drinking habits. Anything which will stop gallonage guzzling in private, and supply food with drink under properly controlled and inspected regulation will be a long stride forward from the intolerable conditions of the past. Other civilized countries have solved this problem. Why should we lag?

Least of all do we understand the viewpoint which suggests that only part of the new liquor control system should be applied in Victoria, to the exclusion of the working man and his glass of beer. Why that discrimination? With wines with meals in restaurants, cocktail lounges for the white-collar and tourist trade, and private club licences for veterans and members, why should the worker not have his glass of beer in Victoria if he wants it? There is no just reason to fear that the privilege would be abused on that level, quite to the contrary in fact. There is not much point in applying half of a remedy: for taking part of the licensing plan and leaving the rest. To do so would make Victoria an island of exception by itself, shut-off from every other city of importance in distance in the province, a place to be detoured. There is no justification for that.

When Victoria voters go to the polls tomorrow they will have the future development of the community in their keeping. It will be a sane place and rational like other sections of British Columbia, or a quaint and antiquated exception out of step with the times. For there is no question that the new liquor act, which is now the law, will be applied with benefit elsewhere. The Colonist believes that the new system is worth a fair trial in its entirety, and that it can be a great improvement over the deplorable conditions of the past. We appeal for a fair trial of the act in all of its provisions, by a decisive majority in favor of each of the four questions on the ballot.

MPs' Long Week Ends

JUST like any private employer the Canadian public, which has to annually pay $2,650,000 a year in remuneration to federal members of Parliament, is entitled to expect diligent service in return for those salaries. Are the taxpayers getting that service? The attendance rolls of the House of Common would suggest not.

On a recent ordinary Friday the roll-call in the House produced only 54 responses out of a membership of 265. Thirty of the members absent from the floor of the House were engaged in committee duty, but about 180 members, 184 who were absent from Parliament, and presumably from the Dominion capital—also presumably without official excuse. Apparently those 184, representing more than two-thirds the total membership of the Commons, do not believe that the extra $4,000 a year they recently voted themselves should interfere with their right to the practice of taking long week ends. Not for them the five-day week. In fact for some of them, not even a four-day week, because the Thursday-to-Tuesday week end is by no means uncommon.

The worst offenders are said to be members from Ontario and Quebec, whose homes are relatively close to the capital. They are not by any means alone in this practice of week-end absenteeism, however. The speed and frequency of air service create a temptation which some members from farther points apparently find very hard to resist.

When the question of increasing the allowance of MPs was being debated early this year it was fairly generally conceded across the country that they were underpaid at the existing rate. The chief point in favor of an increase was the fact that representation in Parliament has developed into a full-time occupation, or at least almost so. That was the argument emphasized by many of the MPs themselves. They should not expect to have it both ways, though. If they want people to believe that theirs is a full-time job, worth $10,000 a year (which is open to question) then they should stick at it throughout the days and hours the House is in session.

There must be many times when legitimate business keeps members away from the chamber, but it is too much to believe that anything but personal pleasure and convenience takes two-thirds of them away on a Friday.

Interpreting the News

Few Find Peace at Geneva

BY J. M. ROBERTS, JR.
Associated Press News Analyst

FOR four hundred years, beginning with Europe's Protestant refugees after the Reformation, men have been going to Geneva in search of peace, but once save the Genevese have found it.

John Calvin made it the seat of his campaign in Europe for the Christian faith, and canton became a part of the Swiss federation, giving it the aura of neutrality to add to its intellectual atmosphere. Diplomats have used it to which to argue about their issues.

For a hundred years it has been the seat of the International Red Cross.

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Its most famous venture of course was as the seat of the League of Nations. There, one by one, the nations shied away from their obligations to collective security while the world drifted into war.

Since then, it has been the seat of some of the subdivisions of the United Nations and other international bodies set up to handle problems of an economic and civic nature.

But not for many years have the great halls of the league palace been filled as they were Monday, with the opening of what amounts to two peace conferences, one on Indo-China and one on Korea.

If there were anything in the surround ing atmosphere to affect such conferences they do. What we take to be profound planning or a stroke of genius on the part of a world leader might derive merely from an ingrown toenail or a sore foot agonizing him. Or a chance encounter with someone he didn't like.

Salutary indeed and not too comforting.

On the other hand, of course as Benjamin's good genius, the accident of fate might have happy results.

"Just a minute—I was here first"

Thinking Aloud

"... of shoes—and ships—and sealing wax—of cabbages and kings."
by PARKER TAYLOR

GREAT oaks, they say, may grow from small acorns. Great events then may stem from small accidents of fate or in reverse never take place.

There was a Turkish conqueror named Bajazet, it seems, who boasted he would feed his horse with oats on the altar of St. Peter's Cathedral. He never did, because an ill-tack of gout overcame him and all his plans went askew.

Someone recalled this the other evening when noting a notable thing about "inevitable" events many of them were never started. Incidentally he went on to wonder if vodka induces gout.

Chance, you see, plays a large part in human affairs, perhaps larger than in a given credit for. So there might be hope for the present international blues after all.

The personal equation accounts for so much, a thesis you may easily test for yourself, and who is to say that individual events may not also be great.

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You take an unexcitement turning, say, as you walk down town. You run into a friend and he imparts some interesting piece of information. It could affect you if you let it. You do, and to and behold your plans for the day are altered, perhaps even your plans for the future. You set in motion a train of circumstance that turns the course of your destiny at least for a while.

Yet if you had taken your usual route you would have missed your friend.

All such encounters are not momentous, but examples can cite instances where the pattern of daily life has been diverted by sheer chance. Or luck, as some prefer to term the intervention. Such as the story one occasionally reads of a wayward arrow having a sweepstake ticket accidentally and winning the pot and retiring to his country estate with his litigation gains.

What an acorn that turned out to be.

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Wellington used to say of Waterloo, commenting on the licking Blucher got the night before: "By gad, I don't think it would have been done if I had not been there." Nose too modest but correct.

He was scarcely there by accident, but he illustrates the point that the personal quirks of men often dominate the event rather than the other way round. I discovered the other day, for example, that Churchill was born in a cloakroom, hence perhaps the magic of his hats.

History doesn't know of all the private personal factors that affect great figures, so it may attach mistaken reasons for their public actions, attributing deep design to what might easily have been the result of whim, or gout or indigestion.

It is perhaps alarming to think that important events may thus stem from inconsequential habit or feeling, but there is no serenity and very little hope among the hundreds of diplomats and their aides who are gathered there for the latest try at peace. The quiet and beautiful surroundings are merely the scene for a test of strength. The foreign secretaries will act the stage and then go home to pull the wires from their accustomed seats while lesser figures argue out the details of disagreement.

Geneva and the Genevese will retain their accustomed aplomb, watching another of their meetings which have so often come to nothing.

Gerald Waring

Reports from Ottawa

THE heightened danger of a Communist sweep through southeast Asia, which could precipitate another Korea, points bluntly to the conclusion that the western world's postwar economic aid has been too little and too late.

The Colombo Plan, the U.S. Point Four program and UN technical aid have been magnificent in conception. They have been seriously short of that in results measured not by dams built and acres irrigated, but in terms of alleviating the poverty which breeds Communism in Asia.

The Canadian government must accept responsibility for this political failure of the Colombo Plan. However true it be that no feasible Canadian contribution could by itself have assured success it is also true that Canada has done and is doing less than it could.

If the saving now of tens of millions costs hundreds of millions later in a new and bigger Korea, those who have opposed increasing Colombo Plan grants will have cause to rue their parsimony.

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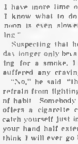
In the last three years Canada has contributed some $70,000,000 to combat famine and to increase food production and technical know-how in the non-Communist Asian countries. The underlying political consideration has been the belief that full belies are a defense against Communism.

There was some speculation that Prime Minister St. Laurent might return from his journey to the Far East convinced that this country should increase its annual $25,400,000 Colombo Plan grant.

The Conservatives have urged that it be doubled. The CCF would quadruple it. Labor leaders, like Stewart Cooke, secretary of the Hamilton, Ont. Labor Council, urge that idle capacity in the farm implement industry be used to produce simple plows for Asians "who plow with crooked sticks."



But in this year's budget the Colombo Plan grant remains at $25,400,000, while Finance Minister Abbott uses $36,000,000 for very limited tax cuts.

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Events are now pointing to more direct action to stem Communism in Asia particularly a Pacific defense pact like NATO.

This is precisely what Progressive Conservative MPs, notably Howard Green of Vancouver-Quadra, have been advocating for the last three years. But Foreign Minister Pearson not only declined to work towards such a pact, he also rejected the Tory suggestion that Canada seek admission to the ANZUS alliance of Australia, New Zealand and the U.S.

Pearson has expressed the opinion that the expansion of ANZUS into a Pacific NATO would be impractical for several reasons, particularly the difficulty of deciding whether to admit Nationalist China.

However, it's obvious now that Red China cannot be a member of a Pacific Ocean Treaty Organization, any more than Russia can be a member of NATO. And if POTO is to be aimed at Mao Tse-tung, can Chiang Kai-shek be excluded?

But to be more than a means of perpetuating the status quo in Asia—including colonialism—POTO must be a military alliance and a gigantic Colombo Plan. Four plan all rolled into one. That will require the kind of vision which put Article II into the North Atlantic Treaty. Canada supplied that vision for NATO, but in the Pacific this country's vision has been dimmed by distance and disinterest.

The Packsack

OF GREGORY CLARK

THE cancer scare regarding smoking has no doubt inspired some people to give up the habit. But there is hardly a group of us that has not had a cut at it among us giving up smoking long before the news alarm. Like diet fads, non smoking has its temporary converts. The last one of these in my circle is my brother who would hardly attempt to deceive his wife. Said "It is perfectly astounding the effect," he says, having been two weeks off the weed after 20 years' smoking. "I had heard how of quitting smoking liberated your taste buds, and how wonderful food tasted again. I had also heard how it gave you more wind back, so that you could run upstairs without puffing. But what nobody told me was what an astonishing effect it has on the passage of time.

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"It makes a day seem twice as long. Where formerly you could hardly find time to get through your morning's work, you glance at your watch, expecting it to be 11 o'clock. And it is only five to 10. I can hardly believe that the taking out, lighting and smoking of a cigarette could have consumed entire quarter hours, or half hours of a morning. But the fact is, I have more time on my hands than I know what to do with. The afternoon is even slower than the morning."

Suspecting that he was finding the days longer only because he was yearning for a smoke, I asked him if he suffered any craving.

"No," he said. "The hard part is to retain the lightness and zest of drive of habit. Somebody comes along and offers a cigarette casually, and you catch yourself just in the nick of time, your hand half extended. But I don't think I will ever go back to it, chiefly for the reason that I don't feel tired at the end of my day any more. The day has been so long and the work has been so easily performed in the time allotted, that I would be a fool to change the situation. I might add that I wake in the morning without any of that fuzzy drowsy feeling that has to be fought off like a quilt. I wake up feeling as good as I felt going to bed. Relaxed."

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"I thought smoking relaxed us," I remarked.

"We're all different," he said. "I speak only for myself. I'm through."

And he proved, with surprise, a his wrist watch.

It was earlier than he thought.

Harnessing The Nile

(U.K. Information Office)

ON APRIL 29, in Uganda, Queen Elizabeth will press a button which will open the sluices for the Owen Falls Dam. This will be inaugurated the greatest power generating scheme in Africa south of the Sahara.

The dam spans the White Nile at Jinja, nearly two miles below Ripon Falls, the source of the 3,850-mile Nile. The new Lake Victoria the biggest reservoir in the world.

On April 29 the first power unit, with a capacity of 15,000 kw., will come into official operation. Eventually a total of 10 turbines will be installed with a combined capacity of 150,000 kwa. (about 200,000 hp.). At present it is planned to bring four of the six new turbines into operation by 1954, the two other in 1955, and the remaining four as and when power demands require them.

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In 1947, at the request of the Uganda government, a British engineer, Mr. C. B. Westlake, made a report on the possibility of hydro-electric power, recommending a power station at Owen Falls. The report was adopted and two firms of consulting engineers, Kennedy and Donkin and Sir Alexander Gibb and Partners made a detailed project report.

Contracts were let in 1948 and 1949, the main civil engineering work being carried out by an international company made up of a group of British, Danish and Dutch firms when formed a partnership known as the Owen Falls Construction Company.

The purpose of the Owen Falls hydro-electric scheme is to provide a head of water to generate power for industrial development in Uganda and other African territories, and to increase the storage capacity of Lake Victoria, second largest lake in the world and regulate its discharge for the benefit of irrigation water for Egypt.

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The total cost of the scheme when completed is estimated at £22,000,000 ($61,600,000) up to 1956, including the cost of the associated transmission line network amounting to $45,000,000.

Material and equipment brought from the United Kingdom and elsewhere amounted to 68,000 tons. All of it had to be carried 800 miles by rail from Mombasa.

Racial Origin

(From The Ottawa Citizen)

QUEBEC has never been notably in favor of a high rate of immigration, and this gives added force to the plea for more settlers made in Toronto the other day by Hon. Gaspard Fauteux, Lieutenant-Governor of Quebec. Not only did Mr. Fauteux rightly indicate that a larger population would contribute to economic stability by creating a bigger domestic market but he believed that individual immigrants, once they established citizenship, should not be known by their racial origin. Mr. Fauteux's opinion that he would like to see the racial origin tag dropped on official documents can only be applauded.

Unity through diversity is a slogan often uttered by Canadians when speaking of citizenship. But this should be thought of as diversity among individuals, and sections of the country, rather than among racial groups. Unhyphenated citizenship is room for infinite variety as between the fishermen of Newfoundland and the wheat farmers of Saskatchewan, the woodsmen of Quebec and the miners of Ontario. Each area has its own characteristics, based on climate, occupation, and history. Each falls naturally into the Canadian pattern, but emphasis on racial origin creates divisions rather than diversity.

Fun, Fact and Fiction

We've been wary of broad, all-encompassing statements by "alleged" experts ever since reading a military authority's pronouncement that our

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A Los Angeles man has been divorced because his wife insisted on saying that he did nothing but watch television. No doubt his lawyer will tell him how the case came out during the next commercial.

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EXPLORER

The passenger wanted a tuppenny fare but had no change. The conductress took his pound note, demanded to the jinney deck, counted out 19s 10d and went aloft again with a fistful of coins. As she reached the upper deck the bus lurched violently, a shower of copper and cupro-nickel clattered down the stairway into the street. For a split second she was silent, then she gave vent to her feelings. "Oh, fiddlesticks!" she said.

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"Tom is marrying a wonderfully accomplished girl. She can swim, ride, drive, play golf and fly a plane. She's a real all-round girl."

"Well, they ought to get along fine. He learned to cook in the army."

Readers' Forum on Liquor Issue

Let's Do It!

I have been asked several times if I am the "Hunter" who is campaigning in Victoria on behalf of the "drives" on this liquor question.

I wish to say most decidedly that I am not, nor would I be a party to the misleading, if not untrue, statements that have been made over the radio by those who support the "No" vote in our city.

I maintain that it is untrue to state that there are as yet 38 outlets for liquor in Victoria.

It must be remembered that this is a Victoria City vote not a Greater Victoria vote.

To try in give the impression that the military messes are open to the public is of course so untrue that I feel sure that the intelligent public will pay no attention to such a ridiculous suggestion. Not are our private clubs open to the public but only to members and their friends.

True there are soldiers' clubs in our city, and why should returned soldiers be denied the privilege of having a glass or even a bottle of beer with their friends?

I challenge those who are carrying on this nefarious campaign to name the 38 outlets for the sale of liquor in our city.

So far as employing children to distribute folders, well! I have no words to condemn such an opprobrious action.

The people of Victoria and British Columbia have been crying out for years for a change in our nonsensical liquor laws. Now we have a chance to change all that, let's do it!

I could not say how many times, but many, I have been called in my professional capacity, to help at some function to look after some unfortunate individuals, not always men, who have indulged too freely... why? Because the bottle is there and must be killed. I think that liquor by the glass will stop a lot of this.

Vote "yes," on April 28th.

J. D. HUNTER,
911 Linden Avenue,
Victoria, B.C.

Whose Money?

I am amazed at the amount of money which is being spent by the Greater Victoria Citizens' Association for advertising. In the first place it is quite honest to claim that this group represent the citizens of Greater Victoria? They do not represent me or members of my family, who are all citizens of Greater Victoria.

This group have an ad which reads, "It's Big Liquor Profits that Are Back of This Thing." They can only speak for them selves. I would suggest then that it is fair inference that they admit that "big liquor profits" are behind their campaign. Bootleggers have in the past supported "dry" organizations for obvious reasons. We may now infer that they are supporting this group.

R. FORD.
Victoria, B.C.

Why Not All?

With nearly all the Christian ministers in Canada, of every denomination, opposed to the increased use of liquor, why do the papers give such prominence to the opinions of one local minister, and he not even born in Canada?

And if increased facilities for drinking liquor will be an added attraction to tourists, why not give the licensees to the auto camps and motels? It is in these places the tourists go and not to the hotels.

And why give licenses to a few hotels and a few restaurants, and prohibit all the others from selling liquor? A little clear thinking and consistency might be help on these points.

(MRS.) LUCY M. GIRVIN,
62 Howe Street,
Victoria, B.C.

Dry Dynamite

The family of seven children I came from in England all drank beer, about or wine for the midday meal almost as soon as we were weaned; so did other families I associated with. There always was water on the table but never tea; that came at teatime, 5 o'clock.

There was always an open bottle of liquor on the sideboard, and we or our friends often took a nip before dinner, but never showed the slightest sign of the vulgarity of getting drunk because we had been trained to drink from babyhood. We all grew up big and strong and sensible to the potency of alcohol.

I have witnessed prohibition twice, in Canada and the U.S.A. It is dynamite, especially for the younger people. Home and hearth are worst hit. Bootleggers have in the past supported "dry" organizations for obvious reasons. We may now infer that they are supporting this group.

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secret drinking are also dynamite. People don't known how to drink so that it hurts no one, they drink too much too fast, mainly to show off.

The kindness system to allow a man up was during the war one hour open, one hour closed all day. Stagger drinking that staggers drinkers.

FRED RAYNBIRD,
R.R. 1 Royal Oak, V.I.

Keep It Second

In what is called "A statement of principles on the April 28 Liquor Plebiscite in Victoria" we are asked to consider ourselves patriotically progressive and not behind the times for not having adopted "modernization liquor laws".

It is pointed out that Victoria is the only city on the Pacific Coast where these laws are not in force.

I have just returned from a few months' holiday, where I visited a number of these cities and saw the results of these modern liquor laws. So disastrous have they become to the health and well-being of the country as a whole that the state of California is gravely concerned. As a matter of fact the liquor law is slated for drastic changes in November of this year.

Let us not be merely concerned that a few tourists or even a few citizens cannot get what they want in every restaurant. At present Canada ranks second as having the greatest number of alcoholics. And France where they have liquor in all their restaurants has the distinction of ranking first.

Let us do what we can to protect the rising generation from the misery of this disease and at least remain second to the alcohol list.

I would say to the "Wets" to invest your money in something lent way of fighting—not for drinking.

I went home to France three years ago. My father, my aunt, speech tears my heart and I utterly heartless saying that my friends would like to hear apologies France lost in the last war be for this. Surely Mr. McKwan cause her soldiers were drink Americans not yet civilized?" with his meals, but very few was not there in 1940. Other ing. I wish to state that I a "Wet?" I asked. Here is their drink "hard" liquor. To a fellows were there and could Belgian, married to a French speak better than him. man for 25 years, have never note—"When we offer a glass of wine to the Canadians or to simply French cafes are risen, his mother, nor his father nor the Americans they say, "No, well kept—not like your beer his younger brother. no kick, but a bottle of cognac parlors where beer only, and Incidentally, my husband's oh yes, and they gulp that no food is served. younger brother fought in the down like water."

If statistics state that France 941 McClure Street, statement on April 22 that in and was decorated for his gal conscious more liquors. 795 Victoria, B.C.

Was He There?

Some arguments, from Mr. Shakwan (dry) make me sick. I am Frenchman, and I am sure all Frenchmen feel like me.

"France" said Mr. McKwan, "had suffered more from alcoholism than any other country in the world." It is a lie. The highest statistic of alcoholism has never been in France. You with find perhaps more alcohol sum where the liquors are limited or under control. Because if they do not need, they drink hidden and it becomes a passion. "A vice it looks smart in out, the word hidden means movement!

He continued, Mr. McKwan, a telling that the entire French Army was forced back during the war and England was left to stand alone because of drinking among French troops.

JEANPIERRE HENRI,
1011 McClure Street,
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Slur on France

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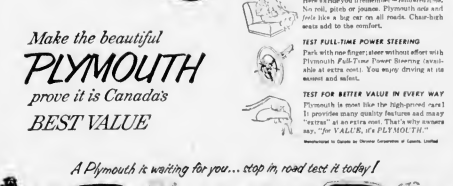

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Stock Quotations—Market Report

Toronto Mines

Sales	Stock	Low	Close
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	Asbestos Corp		14
500	Atlas Lithog	13	13
1000	Aunor Gold	1.00	1.00
1000	Amalg Tel	1.00	1.00
200	Anglo Canada	54	54
100	Angio-Rouyn	1.00	1.00
100	Anglo-Huronian	24	24
100	Arno	1.00	1.00
1000	Arntfield Gold	1.00	1.00
1000	Asbestos Corp	14	14
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'Get Out and Vote,' All Sides Agree

Factions Fight Liquor Issue Down to Wire

The racing controversy preceding Wednesday's liquor plebiscite continued to blaze its sizzly path across Victoria yesterday with these developments:

● Weir and drive joined with the Junior Chamber of Commerce in a "get out and vote" plea.

● Chairman Frank Hunter of the Greater Victoria Citizens' Association charged that approval of public houses would provide a new means for purchasing beer for general consumption.

● New type liquor outlets were endorsed by the mayor.

● Alt. Geoffrey Fletcher declared that a change in the present method of liquor distribution was long overdue.

● Rev. J. R. Howell of Central Baptist Church decided strongly that more outlets would encourage temperance.

● George Gregor, Liberal M.L.A. added a reminder that the four questions on the ballot were entirely separate and that it was not necessary to vote "no" in everything in voting against public houses. The vote was of great importance, he said.

Both A. H. McPhillips chairman of the Common Sense Liquor Committee, which favors new type liquor outlets, and Mr. Hunter urged voters to go to the polls.

Jack Ledger president of the Junior Chamber of Commerce said a big vote on the issue is "essential."

The provincial Elections Act provides that workers who in the normal course of events would not be able to vote because of working hours, must have four consecutive hours free between 8 a.m. and 8 p.m. to cast ballots at any one of the city's 13 polls.

Mr. Hunter drew attention to the question dealing with public houses which asks "Are you in favor of beer ale and stout only under a public house license for consumption on licensed premises?"

"FAR BEYOND"

Mr. Hunter asserted that the licensing section of the Liquor Act goes "far beyond" the question by stipulating that any public house may sell mail liquor for consumption not only on the premises but elsewhere.

"This means that anyone qualified to enter a public house may purchase beer, ale or stout to take away for consumption at his own discretion," he said. "This could mean premises within a city or a village and lot or anywhere."

Interviewed by a delegation from the Common Sense Liquor Committee, the mayor declared:

"I think this step, by giving liquor in Victoria in a proper way, is the best thing for the city, financially.

"We can't do any better than to take the advice of the archbishop (Most Rev. H. E. Sexton) for whom I have a very high regard," said the mayor.

FAIR TRIAL

Archbishop Sexton last week urged that B.C.'s reformed liquor laws be given a fair trial.

"It is an earnest endeavor toward improvement," he said.

The mayor said he agreed entirely with what had been said by the archbishop.

He termed the present system of liquor distribution "a very poor method" which encourages "the worst form of drinking."

The mayor suggested that if the reformed liquor laws don't work out properly after a fair trial they could be changed.

He agreed with a suggestion from the delegation that Victoria would find itself in an "invidious position" if new liquor outlets are opened in surrounding municipalities and not in the city.

Dr. Howell said B.C. beer parlors had disposed of $8,968,211 worth of beer in a six month period in 1953.

"After the liquor is consumed, he said, "it takes millions of dollars in pay for the results of drinking, in maintaining with other things which are police courts, prisons, hospitals and insane asylums.

"Why not open shops for the sale of narcotics, if the wide open sale decreases the use?" Dr. Howell asked. The contention, he added, is unsound and opposed to the facts.

"By the glass drinking, he maintained, would not eliminate "by the bottle" drinking anywhere.

"There is something more than drinking which constrains certain individuals to go to the shady places for their carousing. Secret drinking is associated

done in secret.

"The first glass, he suggested, "has been the downfall of thousands of young people . . . and since more outlets will make the first glass easier, if served in restaurants with meals, then all who value the life and future of our young people ought to oppose the 'more outlets' policy."

BIG STRETCH

The Argentine Republic extends 2,300 miles south from Bolivia to Cape Horn.

Student Pilot Dies in Crash

WINNIPEG (C.P.) — An RCAF student pilot was killed Monday when his T-33 jet trainer crashed near a runway at Gimli airport, an air force spokesman reported Monday night.

The victim was P/O H. E. Phillips of Toronto.

The spokesman said the student was on a routine solo training flight at the time. A board of inquiry will investigate the cause of the crash.

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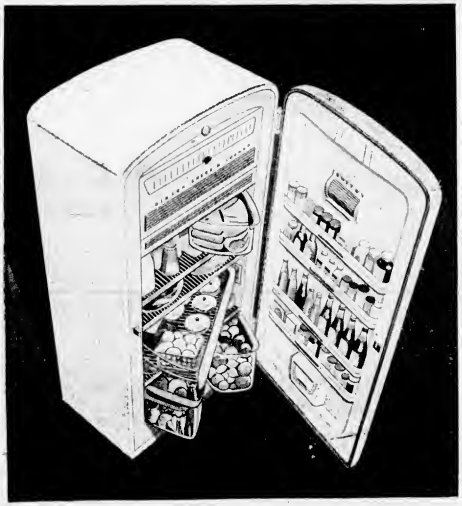

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Tyees To Finish Pre-Season Preps In Game Tonight

Victoria Tyees bolstered by the addition of a north-needed pitcher will wind up their pre-season exhibition series tonight at Royal Athletic Park when they meet Salmers Centennial, crack city amateur club for the fourth time.

Checking into the Tyees camp Sunday was right-hander Vern Reynolds, who played semi-pro baseball last season in Nebraska, played all dads with Merritt and the Colton Stable League in 1952 and the three previous years was active in the West Texas New Mexico League where he compiled an over-all 46-13 win and lost record.

PRIES MAY PLAY

Manager Don Price, who is still suffering the effects of a sore, five-day-old Dana Clay hank injury but hopes to get into some action tonight, said yesterday that the 30-year-old pitcher would start out lightly. Also expected to reach the camp of the city's Western International League club shortly is Jim Bunning, 20-year-old prospect from Vancouver Capilanos.

In closing out their spring training schedule, Victoria Tyees will be seeking their sixth straight win against what Price opposition. Sunday, before an estimated 2,000 fans at Courtenay, the Tyees won both ends of a twin bill from the Comox Dairies. All-Stars although they had to work for both victories.

Mike Kanahan and Berlyn Hodges combined to give up only a one, five hitter and Dave Clay rapped out a two-run single to drive home the winning run in the opener. The second game was a sloppily-played affair, both teams committing five errors as the Tyees won out by a 11-12 score.

NO ADMISSION CHARGE

Club officials, hoping that as much Victoria baseball fans as possible will come out tonight for a final look before the Tyees-Pacific Coast League season Thursday, have announced that no admission will be charged.

Price will stick pretty much to the same line-up he has been starting in recent games. Don Smith, newcomer in the mound staff who was active in the second game at Courtenay Sunday, Hodges and Bill Prior will share the pitching duties against Farmers.

Price's lineup will start at first base in place of Pete Rose, Bob Jackson will place second, Steve Ontiveros third and Ed Lane shortstop. Milt Martin will be behind the plate and right fielder Joshua Tom Perez and Don Clay will compete for centre field.

CLAUDE DUBOIS SOLOINS

Meanwhile, in the city, action involving a WIL team yesterday saw Claude Dubois, manager of Sacramento of the Pacific Coast League, at Lane in Formal pre-season game before opening home schedule against Edmonton at Salem Thursday.

On Sunday Vancouver Capilanos defeated Lewiston 31 in a game a split in their four-game series with the Broncos. Spokane Sunday afternoon when they only pre-season game by defeating Royal Air Force Sunday 8-1 at Spokane, and Tri-City Grays 4 in Pasco Sunday afternoon at Salem Thursday.

SUNDAY

	R	H	E
Lewiston	000 100 000	1	4
Vancouver	100 000 000	1	4
Batteries: Lewiston, Hodges and Bowers; Vancouver, Prior and Kanahan.			
Spokane	000 000 100	1	4
Tri-City	000 000 000	0	1
Batteries: Spokane, Bunning and Mallory; Tri-City, Bergan and Bergan.			
Spokane	000 000 000	0	1
Tri-City	000 200 000	2	1
Batteries: Spokane, Bunning and Mallory; Tri-City, Bergan and Bergan.			
Spokane	000 000 000	0	1
Tri-City	000 000 000	0

Chicago Leads American League; Giants Blank Phillies in Series

HOW THEY STAND

AMERICAN LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Chicago	5	1	.833
Cleveland	5	1	.833
Baltimore	4	2	.667
New York	3	3	.500
Philadelphia	3	3	.500
Boston	2	4	.333
Washington	1	5	.167
Detroit	1	5	.167

NATIONAL LEAGUE

	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	5	1	.833
St. Louis	4	1	.800
Milwaukee	3	2	.600
New York	3	3	.500
Cincinnati	2	3	.400
Chicago	2	4	.333
Philadelphia	1	4	.200
Pittsburgh	1	4	.200

Chicago White Sox slammed Mery Grissom's three-hitter, into first place in the American the Giants got two more brilliant pitching performances as visitors over Baltimore Orioles they moved to within one game and the New York Giants room of first-place Brooklyn by pitched a unusual sweep of a shaking up 30 and 5-0 victories three game National League series with Philadelphia Phillies in minor league baseball action on Sunday.

Following up a 1-0 victory over the Phillies Saturday, no hitter past the feeble Phils and didn't allow a runner to reach second base until the ninth inning.

The White Sox made it three in a row over Baltimore coming from behind early time in capture both ends of a twin bill 3-2 and 4-3.

The double victory boosted the White Sox into a half game lead over Detroit Tigers who fell into a second-place tie as they lost a 10-9 overtime decision to Cleveland.

YANKS, A SPLIT

New York's defending champion Yankees dropped into a fourth-place tie with Philadelphia when the "A's" whipped them 12 after the Yankees had won the first game 4-1.

Big Don Newcombe making his second start of the season, was pounded for five hits and two runs in the opening inning as Brooklyn went down to a 9-3 defeat at the hands of Pittsburgh in the second game of a doubleheader after the Dodgers had won the first game 4-2.

Sunday scores follow:

NATIONAL LEAGUE

First game		R	H	E
Philadelphia	000 000 000	0	4	3
Chicago	000 100 20x	3	10	1
Wilhelm and Burgess; Leonard and Lollar.				
Second game				
Philadelphia	000 100 000	1	4	3
Chicago	001 100 20x	4	10	1
Ozark, Ferrick (8), Greenwood (8) and Lopata; Antonelli and Westrum.				
New York	000 000 000	0	3	1
Brooklyn	000 000 400	4	10	0
Maglie and Westrum; Podres and Rakow.				
Second game				
Pittsburgh	000 000 000	0	5	1
Brooklyn	000 000 200	2	5	0
Friend, Hacker (7), Jeffcoat (8) and Foiles; Newcombe and Rakow.				
St. Louis	000 000 000	0	6	1
Milwaukee	000 100 00x	1	6	0
Jones and Sawyer; Spahn and Crandall.				
Cincinnati	000 000 000	0	4	1
Chicago	000 000 000	0	4	1
Fowler, Hacker (7) and Danforth; Hobbie and Lollar.				

CARMICHAEL CUP GOLF

A Tregaillis defeated N Rodeen and J. Hall to win a playoff for the Carmichael Cup at the Gorge Vale Golf Club Sunday.

CAMILLE HENRY

Henry Wins NHL Rookie Award

MONTREAL (CP) Camille Henry, 135-pound New York Ranger utility forward — the National Hockey League's right-eye player. Mondays was named winner of the Calder Memorial Trophy as the outstanding rookie for the 1953-54 season.

Henry the first French-Canadian youngster from Quebec province to make good in the Ranger farm system, received 59 out of a possible 70 points in voting by sports writers and broadcasters from the league's six cities.

RELIEVAL THIRD

Earl (Dutch) Reibel, Detroit Red Wings centre was runner up with 77 points. Jean Beliveau, right-handed shot Montreal Canadiens centre, placed the third with 44.

The 21-year-old Henry played in 66 games and scored 24 goals while assisting on 16 others for a total of 38 points. He was the sixth highest goal scorer in the league. He ranked second in goals and fourth in points among Ranger players.

It was an outstanding showing for a first-year man, particularly since Henry saw only limited action. He was used mainly when the Rangers had a player advantage and were using their power play.

Besides winning the Calder Trophy which annually is awarded to the player selected as the most profitable to his club in the opinion of competitive Hockey also receives $1,000 from the league for winning the award.

Last season top rookie was goalie Lorne Worsley, also of New York, and Thereon Detroit '52 Rookie Gump Worsley Boston 22, Frank Mahoney Boston, nine; Bob Chrystal New York, four; Rap Ramsey Boston, three; Jacques Plante Montreal and Ike Hildebrand Chicago one each.

Saskatchewan Roughriders have signed holdovers Del Wilfahrt and Sully Glasser, both backfielders, and defensive end Doug Killow.

Art Wall Coasts to Win In Nevada Golf Tourney

LAS VEGAS Nev. (AP) Art Wall Jr. averaged off the challenge of more famous players Sunday and won the $10,000 top money on the $35,000 Tournament of Champions.

Shooting a firm but not impressive par-par 73 in the final round, the 30-year-old Wall from Phoenix Manor, Pa., finished the 72-hole event with a score of 278, six strokes in front of his nearest threats.

Tied for second place were Lloyd Mangrum and Al Brosnik. Mangrum fired a 71 Sunday for 284, and Brosnik a 68. The 68 was low score of the day and won a special $1,000 prize offered by tournament chairman Wilbur Clark.

SECOND MAJOR WIN

Wall's victory was his second major triumph in a five-year career as a pro.

The previous victory was in the Fort Wayne open last summer, which won him a prize of this field of 19 other tournament winners.

Mangrum and Brosnik each won $3,750.

Littler blew to his second straight 76 for a total of 289.

Sam Snead the perennial tournament favorite, failed to get anywhere and his last round 72 gave him 291.

Dave Douglas, Lexington, N.Y. 71-71-71-75-288 $2,000

O.C. Soccer Standings

Up to and including games of Monday, April 26

ENGLISH LEAGUE

First Division (Point)

	P	W	L	D	F	A	Pts.
Wolverhampton W	42	25	8	9	99	49	59
Burnley	42	23	9	10	84	52	56
Sheffield Wed	42	21	11	10	87	53	52
Arsenal	42	21	11	10	76	46	52
Manchester U	42	21	11	10	68	48	52
Blackpool	42	19	13	10	81	60	51
Bolton	42	19	13	10	76	60	51
Huddersfield	42	19	13	10	66	55	51
Charlton A	42	18	7	17	74	54	43
Cardiff C	42	18	7	17	71	64	43
Preston NE	42	16	11	15	67	68	43
Sunderland	42	16	10	16	71	67	42
Derby C	42	16	10	16	64	71	42
Portsmouth	42	14	13	15	61	64	41
Liverpool	42	14	13	15	60	64	41
Wolverhampton Wanderers	42	14	12	16	67	71	40
Aston Villa	42	14	12	16	61	71	40
Blackpool (Ist Div. Champs.)	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Cardiff C (Second Div. Champs.)	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Bolton	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Liverpool	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Manchester U	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Aston Villa	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Charlton A	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Cardiff C	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Preston NE	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Sunderland	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Derby C	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Portsmouth	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Liverpool	42	14	11	17	64	71	39
Wolverhampton Wanderers

Racing Results, Overnight Entries

Bowie

[illegible]

Bay Meadows

OVERNIGHT ENTRIES

[illegible]

Racing Selections

[illegible]

Power-Hitter Dick Greco Still a Tri-City Holdout As Edo Vanni Prepares Braves for WIL Season

BY GIL GILMORE

KENNEWICK, Wash. (CP)—The Tri-City Braves' chances of winding up in the first division in the Western International Baseball League this season depend primarily upon getting someone who can get more than one base per hit. And often.

The community-owned club operating without higher classification tie-ups again this year, holds the contract of the man it believes can do the job. But so far the player has been extremely stubborn about signing.

He is Dick Greco, formerly of Tacoma but now of Vancouver. He is a long ball hitter and just what the Braves need for a clean-up man.

MILES APART

But Greco and Tri-City's new general manager Eddie Taylor are miles apart on salary and the situation is further complicated by Greco's personal desire to play somewhere else—preferably Vancouver.

But at this date, Tri-City fans are wondering if they club is going to have a clean-up man. Last season the Braves tied for top spot in batting, were second in total hits, but were at the bottom of the league in homers, triples and doubles. This added up to leading the league in the left-on-base column and eighth place in both halves of the season.

Elsewhere around the field, the club appears in fair shape and far better off than it was at this time last year. In the catching spot will be Jack Warren, who led the league in hitting last year.

Missing is Nick Pesut who was traded to Vancouver. Pesut's departure leaves first baseman Vic Bucciola as the only player left on the club of the group that came here from Wenatchee in 1951.

The two Trans, Lee and Ray, will probably provide the second base-shortstop combination although Ray, the older of the two may play fewer games.

Terry Carroll is one prospect for third base but it is probable that Tom Marier, a 1952 reg

Remember-When

Jim Tobin, the right hander of Butler-ball fame, pitched a no-hit no-run game as Boston Braves blanked Brooklyn Dodgers 2-0 in the National League 10 years ago today. It was the first no-hitter in the majors for nearly three years, and Tobin failed by just two men of pitching a perfect game—one in which no opposing batter reaches first base.

Elsewhere around the field, clar who missed last season be- cause of an injured back. May yet sign his contract. He wants more money.

MONIZ IN OUTFIELD

Des Charouhas, Yakima football coach Bob McGuire, Ernie Hockaday and playing manager Edo Vanni are all holdover outfielders but Bob Moniz, who (Bud) Goldberg, 34, with Vancouver last year. Dale Thomas purchased from Portland coulsier last year. Dale Thomas re-sells probably will hold one-man, 5'7 with Vancouver last spot. Vanni isn't expected to season. Larry Richardson, on play much and Hockaday may option from the Chicago White be converted to an infielder. Sox chain, and Earl Lemieux, a Whatever the pitching staff left handed rookie.

Inks an power is made up in numbers. Earlier this year Tri-City had 11 hurlers under contract. Holdovers who probably will win regular assignments are Don Robertson (14-9), Dale Bloom (7-11) and reliefer Jess Doherme (1-17).

Among the others are John

Coast Soccer Race Tightens As City Loses

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VANCOUVER (CP) — Firefighters climbed back into contention in the Pacific Coast Soccer League, defeating league leading Vancouver City 3-1 before 2,000 fans here Saturday.

Denny Rogers scored at 25 minutes for city with Don Hutton making the scoring 1-1 just before half-time. Peter Proctor scored the winner for Firefighters at 35 minutes and added another goal at 44 minutes to make Firefighters winners by a 3-1 score.

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'Bell, Book and Candle' Casts Spell of Laughter

"Bell, Book and Candle" (at Royal) is a delightful comedy with cheerful overtones that leave people—and a spell of laughter on a pocket knife—with suspense.

First night audience at the Totem Theatre last night enjoyed a full dose of people practicing the John Van Druten's tale of witchcraft in Manhattan open middle of last was a blend of high-brow and low-brow humor, romantic setting was both about the edge of and sweet and bitter while.

Good acting was needed to produce the proper fun spell of the play. Performers proved to be a scene people of modern shopping, fad and Bohemian life. Director, Jim Fraser, Don Ann, design the play gave him no trim and Jack Doty provided spoken lines.

Rosemary Malkin was out standing as the young witch who bewitched herself into a heart breaking love affair.

The petted and versatile Jim Fraser gave his usual good performance, this time as a publisher who found himself drawn to enchantment into a world of witches.

Dorothy Malkin's familiar Bohemian mannerisms were strong loudly at times, but she gave him an effective foil.

Jim Fraser, Don Ann, Dorothy Malkin and Jack Doty provided spoken lines.

SCIENCE PIONEER

Top radioactivity of uranium was discovered by Becquerel in France in 1896.

Men Saved From Mine In Blaze

BATHURST, N.B. — (CP) — Three men were rescued with no injury Monday from a 900 foot high-grade tunnel beyond Mines Lot as fire of unknown origin destroyed the new mill and swept through the elevator housing.

Only small office and compressor buildings, carpenter shop and shower rooms remained out of $250,000 base metals project that had been built up during the last two years in the forests 20 miles north of here.

'Vodvil Varieties' Planned By Kiwanis Club in Oak Bay

A vaudeville show was be presented by the Oak Bay Kiwanis Club at Oak Bay Junior High School Friday evening.

Known as the "Vodvil Varieties" the show will feature well known performers of Victoria.

The Horsecomers, John Dunbar Betts and Hey Bird dies, Rollie Walsh and the Tip-pet Sisters will be on the program.

Accompanist for the evening will be Ernie Hargett. The dancer Valerie Parkin and Scottish dancer Ronnie Marrs will also be seen.

Master of ceremonies will be Fresh Chase.

Proceeds from the show will be used by the Oak Bay Kiwanis charities. Tickets will be sold at the door.

Best Actress

MARGARET MARTIN

Winner of the best actress award in the recent BC Drama Festival, Margaret Martin will be seen in Little Players production, "Time Ne Comes Gathering" that opens at Little Hall at 8 p.m. today.

Little Weatherman, You've Had a Busy Day

Sun, Rain, Hail, Snow, Gale Here

The weather displayed all the advertised "evergreen play." A sitsgow Street home in tricks yesterday, blowing in a window, wrecking TV aerials, dumping showers of rain, hail and snow along with some sun shine on Victoria and the Saanich Peninsula.

Light snow and hail are reported in some areas of Saanich, while hail was reported at Sidney about noon.

Rain was general over most of the lower Island.

Vancouver fared little better.

CAMPBELL RIVER — The chamber of commerce has granted unanimous approval to a Nanaimo junior chamber proposal calling for immediate construction of the Little Lake fun project.

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Capitol — "Rhapsody" at 12:25, 3:00, 5:10, 7:15, 9:25
Dominion — "Man in the Attic" at 1:05, 3:33, 6:15, 9:10, plus "Man Crazy" at 2:32, 5:22, 8:17.
Fox—"Beneath the Twelve-Mile Reef" at 6:15 and 9:10 p.m.
Gem—"Sombrero" at 7:45.
Oak Bay—"Jet Well Homers Island" at 7:40, 9:00.
Odeon — "Glass Web" at 3:01, 6:24, 9:41. "Woman Hater" at 1:03, 4:25, 7:45
Plaza—"Sadko" at 1:11, 3:37, 6:13, 8:28. "Circus Arena" at 2:43, 5:29, 8:15.
Royal "The Long, Long Trailer" at 1:10, 3:13, 5:16, 7:19, 9:27
Tillicum—Peggy and Son of Ali Baba" at 7:45
ON STAGE
Totem—"Bell, Book and Candle" at 8:30.

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Taste of Tartan Strong at Revue

Kilts were swinging and pipes skirling at the Royal Theatre last night at Adeline Dueran presented the "Scottish Revue of 1954."

Although one or two dances and songs had no Highland heritage, the taste of tartan was strong from the time the curtain rose on the Canadian Scottish Pipe Band, directed by Pipe Major Andrew Pollock, till it closed with a massed Highland Fling.

The performance was spoken by Victoria Lions Club.

Enthusiasm was the keynote for all the dancers ranging from the ball-point size to the teenaged variety.

There was loud applause for solos by Heather Duncan, the local lass who won a Pacific International championship in Highland dancing along with many other honors last year.

Little Gregory Underwood caused laughter with his high jinks trepping to an Irish number with a covey of muffed brass taps. The accordion playing of young Bonnie Chisholm was also well received.

A popular number held over from the 1953 show was "Scottish Gounds on Review." Pipe Clinals in the "Where Has Sad were has 12 piankoprs aboard band Found Her Faine" scene were Anita Shattock, Lorna Don ahong, Jeanette Milligan, Linda Miles, Flora Lowe, Teddy Lon Dallas Stones, Jamie Tom, Janet Klunick, Ann Noble, Dennis Underwood, Jane Kerstedt, Patsy Chapel and Gordon Tom.

John Dunbar and Jessie Lake sang popular Scots airs.

Accordion and bagpipe selections were played by Clifford Mouse and Pipe Major Ian Duncan.

Piping for the dancing along with Mr. Duncan were Jamie Tom and Jeanette Burns and drummer was Donald Knight.

Kenneth Clark's orchestra supplied the music.

New Ship Berths In City

Maiden voyage of the latest addition to Britain's Furness Line, the Pacific Northwest, brought her to Victoria early today.

On hand to greet her on the run of regularly scheduled runs between B.C. and the United Kingdom were company officials and agents. Later today an informal reception will be held aboard the 11 Preston ship.

Besides carrying a small gen eral cargo from the U.K. and Continental ports, the Pacific North west has 12 passengers aboard.

Built in Newcastle, England, the Pacific Northwest has placed oil tials with her performance. On a trial run the 376-foot ship registered up to 17½ knots.

Appeal Court Quashes Narcotics Conviction

Conviction of William Richard Robert William Anderson and Emery of Vancouver for illegal Vancouver had a tin-foil in possession of narcotics was sentence reduced to 18 months quashed by the British Colum- Anderson was convicted of his Court of Appeal in Victoria assaulting a police officer yesterday.

In an oral judgment the court pointed out the drugs the pos- session of which Emery was convicted were found not on his person but on his wife's. It also appeared that police did not after off the Fraser River discover the narcotics until Mrs. Emery's purse was searched.

Appeals were allowed in two cases heard by the two-man court yesterday. John Bing Wong of the Lakehead Video May- was a reduction of one year in a five-year sentence for illegal possession of narcotics. The Dangers were led by 1,000 grains of morphine, 1 ounce of dilaudid and 1 ounce of Metadon. Hi-tanks. She was a total loss.

Pilots' Boat Mercy Vessel

Seaman Rushed to Hospital

A seaman from the Oregon Star, Robert W. Prince, was brought here around eight miles off Sooke yesterday afternoon by a Bi- Pilots' boat in a rough sea. A waiting taxi at the pilotage dock rushed the man to St. Joseph's Hospital where an emergency operation was performed last night.

Doctors were unable to confirm the nature of the emergency.

The English seaman was planned of abdominal pains while he was at sea yesterday afternoon while chipping rust off the Oregon Star was tied up at Africa with colonial sailing ships.

The regular monthly meeting of the Council of Evening Branches of the WA will be held at 8 p.m. in St. Martins in-the-East Church hall on Wednesday, April 28. Guest speaker will be Mr. Lionel Taylor who will illustrate his talk on South Africa with colored slides.

GREAT RIVER

The Congo River in Africa flows 2,718 miles to the At- lantic.

Esquimalt To Buy Equipment

Esquimalt council voted last night to spend $17,200 for new public works equipment.

City James Bryant, public works committee, recommended purchase of a new gravel crusher and conveyor, valued at $10,500, a new three-ton truck, new drafting office equipment and sewage equipment.

Council approved the expenditures.

The gravel crusher will be ordered immediately, to be used in the completion of the three-year road maintenance plan it was announced.

John Graeme, municipal engineer, told council the gravel crusher would pay for itself in a maximum of three years, even if the road program is finished earlier.

Crushed gravel is impossible to get, he said, and the crusher would be invaluable to the municipality, particularly as there is no much rock available in Esquimalt.

Another telephone, with an extension from the engineer's office to the municipal yard office, was approved by council on recommendation of the public works committee. Money for the gravel crusher and conveyor will come from the reserved property fund.

Mixed Choir Entertains Packed House

A mixed voice choir, representing several Portland, Ore., churches, sang to a packed house at the Glad Tidings Tabernacle, North Park Street, last night.

The choir of 50 voices has been in existence for 14 years. Tours the Pacific Northwest annually presenting programs of religious and popular music.

The large audience approved heartily by applause a group of spirituals rendered by the choir and the fine arrangement of the "Lord's Prayer" with which the singers closed the concert.

TELLS OF TRIP

Dr. Frank Phillips, Portland, spoke of his recent trip around the world and some of his experiences in Formosa.

The band of the Victoria Citadel Salvation Army was in attendance and played several numbers during the concert.

Daily Dusting

Years of medical research sponsored by the Ontario Mining Association may have found the answer to silicosis, the disease which attacks the lungs of miners exposed to silica dust. Curiously enough, the treatment consists of breathing very fine aluminum dust directly into the lungs, the aluminum renders the silica particles harmless. The treatment has been adopted in gold and other mining areas in Canada and throughout the world.

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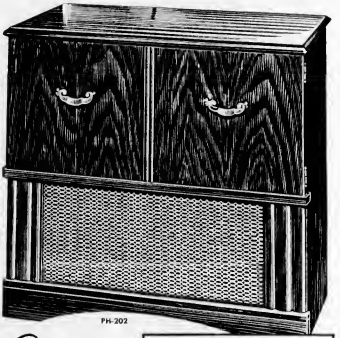

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'Box' Babies Grow Frisky, Help Mother

BLOOMINGTON, Ind. (AP) — Twins Ron and Ray Hope spent much of their first year in a glass-enclosed box with controlled atmosphere.

The idea was that a baby, born with nothing but a diaper, has to develop his protective mechanisms faster to fit his heart's control and thus develop faster and healthier. The mother would be saved laundry drudgery because she would need to wash only two diapers and sheets. And neither parent would have to worry about whether the infant was smoothing in his blankets.

Today at five Ron and Ray are about as frisky as small boys can get. Their father isn't sure whether the "Skinner box" had any major effect on their development. He does maintain they are physically precocious. This he elaborates with a slight grimace means they're extremely destructive.

The box here was one of perhaps several hundred scattered across the country, mostly in the homes of college and university faculty members. The scheme was devised by psychologist Burrhus F. Skinner, now at Harvard University.

Hope, head of the Indiana department of chemistry, says the boys can get their hands out of the box and do almost anything they feel like doing, quite as good as anybody.

Ron and Ray are about as many colds as the average baby, more than was enough to scare them as a result of the solution. They are short out of the box for feedings, baths and attention.

Mrs. Hope admits it's not in a single sentence. It's just hard on the mother.

ENTHUSIASTIC

One of the main enthusiasts opposed of the Skinner box is a prominent psychologist in New York City. Dr. Anne Roe, who has four grown children, all raised in boxes. She says emphasis that the boxes deprive children of love and affection in infancy.

Actually, she adds, the mother has less "work" to do and therefore more time to play with and love the child.

The general idea of the box, Dr. Roe says, is to apply the principle of the air-conditioned room to a smaller area. Dr. Skinner says the box he built at St. Paul cost $35.

"We found we could keep the baby from crying largely by adjusting the temperature," he says. "Her response was so sensitive he wondered how a comfortable temperature is ever reached with clothing or blankets. It was interesting to watch her surprisingly violent exercise only a few minutes to realize how severely restrained the average baby is and how much energy must be directed into the only remaining channel: crying."

Islanders Join Honey Group

Cowichan division of the B.C. Honey Producers' Association was formally accepted into the group at the annual meeting at Vernon during the week end.

Vancouver Island was represented by secretary George V. Wilkinson, 1970 Ruby; W. E. Headley, Salmon Arm, was re-elected president, and E. R. Freeman, Fort Langley, was named vice-president.

J. Corner provincial apiarist reported that 1,570 registered beekeepers during the year had 11,568 colonies of bees and produced 1,194,200 pounds of honey, valued at $216,002.

Several large producers have decided to boycott the PNE at Vancouver this year unless better arrangements are made with regard to space allocation for the honey exhibits.

Mainland Newsreel

Shoplifters Victims of Boy's Extortion

[illegible] Kitman to be with [illegible] the Hi Baller Review in take good trade unionist applicants [illegible] Mr. Kitman was slain last the entertainment group to be in favor of "easy going" work [illegible] a Travel-All bus December 11 was unable to find a seat in the crowded engineroom and was forced to sit at the press table.

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VANCOUVER (BCP) — A large body of oil-fishes was reported lurking in the Gulf of Georgia Monday but unless the weather warms up they are not expected to begin their migration up the Fraser River.

Interest in oil-fishes here this year is apparently inspired by local taste more than by commercial possibilities.

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POWELL RIVER (CP) — A [illegible] group from Vancouver was involved in a unique shipwreck here Saturday night.

The Mv. Cardhos chartered two officials were turning down means ramming a breakwater opening a seam just above the labor representative on limit waterline. With the rest disembarking for a show, the damage was unnoticed but when the vessel returned later the weight forced the craft lower and water flooded in.

The Cardhos listing badly was beached.

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VANCOUVER (CP) — Charges that Canadian immigration officials were screening prospective immigrants in favor of management were made Sunday by an International Moving workers of America officials at the fourth annual Inter-Labor Institute on Race Relations.

C. M. Hodgson said immigration officials were turning down applicants if they were considered "undesirable" from the standpoint of Canadian labor.

He said the institute, sponsored by the British Columbia Federation of Labor, government should include a labor representative on immigration boards.

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TRAIL (CP) — The Catholic Youth Organization in the Nelson Diocese has proposed that Canada distribute her wheat surpluses among starving Asiatics as a means of halting the spread of Communism.

The proposal was contained in a resolution passed unanimously at the three-day diocesan convention of the CYO which ended here Sunday.

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VANCOUVER (CP) — The Agrologists has moved to establish rissor cooperation between agriculturist scientists and farmer organizations.

At the annual meeting here, the institute laid the ground work for a consultative committee with the B.C. Federation of Agriculture.

New president of the institute is L. C. Marshall, plant pathologist for the provincial government here.

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KIMBERLEY (CP) — Edgar Jensen, 11, was killed and two other boys were injured here Sunday when their car ran off the road near Ta Ta Creek. An inquest was slated for Monday.

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VANCOUVER (CP) — Repeaters on drunk charges are going to get heavier fines and penal sentence.

Magistrate Oscar Orr said Monday he's going to get tough with persons who reappear before him on drunk charges.

Kitwa is separated from Japan by 130 miles of water.

The youth said he spent most of his time watching shoplifting suspects. When he saw them steal he would later accost them on the street and threaten to turn them over to police.

Police said he admitted pocketing the basket on several older shoplifters obtaining four [illegible] items from them.

No [illegible] have been laid.

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VANCOUVER (CP) — A [illegible] would [illegible] of [illegible] women [illegible] Monday as Mr. Alberta Brown of Mission. Charged another [illegible] William Zahar [illegible] Zahar was [illegible] around [illegible] Brown.

The accused, [illegible] an engineer, was [illegible]

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NEWS REVIEW

By John Green

From AP, CP, Reuters, UP

The biggest medical experiment in history began in the U.S. Monday when the first of 1,000,000 youngsters were vaccinated with the Salk serum which it is hoped may wipe out polio. In all, 2,000,000 children in 44 states will be vaccinated, but half of them will be given a neutral liquid resembling the serum. Comparison of medical reports on the two groups will show whether the new treatment is effective.

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An American freighter and two Japanese fishing boats have been found to be partially radio active after sailing through the area surrounding the U.S. H-bomb test site at Bikini. None of the three showed dangerous amounts of radiation and no crew members or cargoes were affected.

DR. ALFRED VALDMANIS

Gordon F. Higgins, former Conservative MP, and an avowed opponent of Premier Joseph Smallwood, has been retained to defend Dr. Alfred A. Valdmanis on charges that he extorted $150,000 from foreign firms with which he dealt when director-general of economic development for Newfoundland. After conferring with Valdmanis, Higgins commented: "The original statement by Premier Smallwood charging extortion is incorrect."

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Wreckage of a transport that crashed and burned Friday in central Argentina has been found by another plane but it is not yet known whether any of the 23 aboard survived.

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British troops have concluded their roundup of Mau Mau suspects in the native quarter of Nairobi and have sent 8,000 men to special camps where they will be subjected to intensive questioning. Officials have expressed fear, however, that few top leaders have been caught, and mentioned the possibility of "security leaks." Such "leaks" appear more than probable, since news services throughout the world carried stories on the roundup before it took place.

President Juan Peron's vice presidential candidate, Rear Admiral Alberto Teisaire was almost two to one in voting Sunday. The rival radical party, which has conceded defeat in that race, also lost at least one of the 14 seats they held among 90 in the House of Deputies.

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Food and medical supplies weighing more than two tons were dropped Sunday to an Eskimo community on the Belcher Islands in Hudson Bay, where 10 have died of influenza in recent weeks. About 165 Eskimos are the sole inhabitants of the islands, which can be visited only in the summer. Hunting has been good there and the Eskimos are thought to have plenty of meat and fish.

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Atom powered airplanes carrying passengers across the continent in less than two hours have been predicted by H. L. Hibbard, vice-president in charge of engineering for Lockheed Aircraft Corporation. He said atom-powered bombers should be flying within 10 years.

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Canadian salmon will receive the New Zealand market as a result of a 20 per cent increase in the allocations for dollar imports the New Zealand government announced Monday. Allocations include $600,000 for canned fish.

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A federal conciliation board dealing with the many sided contracts dispute involving 150,000 non-operating railway workers is expected to report late this week.

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A whitefish weighing 11¾ pounds believed a record, was taken from Lac Ste. Anne 40 miles northwest of Yellowknife during a four-day commercial fishing season which ended Saturday.

Whitefish generally average 2½ pounds.

Fear of Infiltration in Army Inspired Soviet Murder Plot

BERLIN (Reuters) — Allied officials here said Russian fear of infiltration of her troops in East Germany prompted the mission by Russian Capt. Nikolai Khokhlov in murder (Georgi) Okolovich, chief of the psychological warfare branch of the anti-Communist NTS.

The same fear was behind the kidnapping last week of Alexander Trushnovich, another official of NTS (Union of Creative Toilers), an organization of Russian refugees the officials said.

DRAMATIC PLOTS

The dramatic plots against the NTS leaders point up the rebellion in the ranks of the Soviet army itself they said.

In Bonn, United States officials hinted that Khokhlov might be flown to the United States soon from his hiding place in Western Germany. Two months ago he abandoned his plot to murder Okolovich with a poison-bullet gun, and handed over top-secret Soviet espionage information to U.S. officials.

The Allied officials in Berlin (address spot) not otherwise asked: "Why did the Russian authorities be afraid the two secret police girls on his trail? Curtain officers of the NTS (instead of going after officials of the many other Russian exile organizations?"

DISCONTENT SEEN

The answer, they said is that the NTS has been surprised be- [illegible] now it may well have seen dozens NTS distributes leaflets speak of discontent among the Russian soldiers themselves. [illegible] details and quotes from him on

Thus, believe the refugees who be behind Groups' work has definitely [illegible] NTS leaders are convinced stopped the invasion of Soviet that any anti-Soviet revolution troops in East Germany which must start among Russian soldiers. The Kremlin believes is the men and officers.

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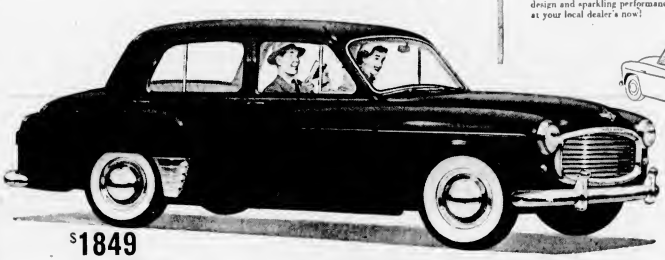

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GEORGE S. PEARSON

All his years in the legislature, Mr. Pearson was distressed when he saw good men fighting each other for political reasons, it struck him as hypocritical when men who were good friends in private called each other ugly political names in public, by way of wooing the voters.

To him, there was always so much work to be done that he thought politics a waste of time.

Mr. Pearson was born in England April 27, 1880, and reached Nanaimo as a youth with his parents. In Nanaimo he grew up, attending school there, going into the grocery business, and because he worked hard he did well.

It was in 1928 that he first ran for the legislature, as a Liberal, and won.

When the Liberals won in 1933, Premier T. D. Pattullo picked Mr. Pearson for the cabinet—minister of labor. He remained in that portfolio for years—then became provincial secretary and minister of health and welfare. Still later he was one man he found in every three such heavy portfolios.

As minister of health and welfare Mr. Pearson started hospital insurance and the worries of putting that giant on its feet took their toll.

He served in all under three premiers: Pattullo, John Hart and Byron Johnson. He won no general elections. He was nainmo for small achievements: 1928, 1933, 1941, 1945, 1947 and 1949.

Tiny Sun-Power Battery Makes Current for Radio

NEW YORK (AP) — A battery made of silicon and powered by the sun had been developed by Bell Telephone Laboratories.

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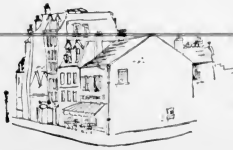

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- Suitable for knitting heavier outdoor sweaters
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NINE O'CLOCK SPECIALS

Ordinarily 2.00
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- Handtied flies in variety of colours
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NINE O'CLOCK SPECIALS

Ordinarily 4.95
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- Of hard-wearing cotton seersucker
- Two pockets; sizes 14½ to 17½

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NINE O'CLOCK SPECIALS

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9 o'Clock Special, each **99c**

EATON'S—Housewares, Lower Main Floor

NINE O'CLOCK SPECIALS

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Aluminum French Fryer
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EATON'S—Housewares, Lower Main Floor

NINE O'CLOCK SPECIALS

Regularly 69c
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- Made of Lustrex styrene plastic
- Fits the hand well, lid gives pouring control
- Yellow, red and ivory

9 o'Clock Special, each **34c**

EATON'S—Housewares, Lower Main Floor

NINE O'CLOCK SPECIALS

Regularly 4.89
Cuddly Teddy Bears
- Made from soft yellow plush material
- Complete with squeaker, glass eyes
- An adorable toy for the young

9 o'Clock Special, each **2.44**

EATON'S—Toys and Wheelgoods, Third Floor

NINE O'CLOCK SPECIALS

Regularly 3.95
Folding Deck Chairs
- Sling chair canvas covered
- Made with hardwood frame
- Limit one only to a customer

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NINE O'CLOCK SPECIALS

Regularly 10.50
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Regularly 2.98 to 35.00
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- Wool sweaters, navy tunics, plaid weskits
- Aviella skirts, navy raincoats
- Wool coats, dresses and suits; sizes 4 to 12 in the group

9 o'Clock Special **1.49 to 17.50**

EATON'S—Children's Wear, Third Floor

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EATON'S—Children's Wear, Third Floor

HALF REGULAR PRICE

Ordinarily 7.75
Men's Work Trousers
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2 o'Clock Special, pair **3.87**

EATON'S—Men's Furnishings, Main Floor

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Around Town

Dr. Anderson Heads Society

Executive officers for 1954 were elected at the annual meeting of the Victoria and District Society, in the Health and Welfare Centre last night.

Dr Murray Anderson was elected president. Dr J. L. Caylon and C. A. A. Ritchie were vice-presidents, Major W. C. Roberts, secretary-treasurer.

Reports were heard from Lieut-Col. G. G. Gillan retiring president; Mrs S. H. Watson, of the Order of the Eastern Star; Mrs P. W. Simonds of the Rebekahs, and Mrs O. B. Dymond, of the Jesse Burke Chapter I.O.D.E.

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Construction of a wading pool in Memorial Park Esquimalt, will begin soon, the municipal council heard from the Esquimalt Lions Club last night.

The club plans to finish the pool by the beginning of July, and hold a carnival during opening ceremonies to raise more money for an additional children's play park it was reported.

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Distribution of about 50,000 new phone books in the Victoria area, and an equal number to up-island centres, has been completed according to officials at the B.C. Telephone Company.

But the 1954 books are not effective until after 8 a.m. to-morrow when nights will replace letter prefixes.

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Shower of Dimes Lags

Donations to the Queen Alexandra Solarium's Shower of Dimes, sponsored by the Junior League, are still far short of the target intal for April 30. Last night, the total take was $7,490. That leaves $22,510 to find.

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About a dozen pieces of heavy equipment have been moved into action on the new section of the Island Highway now under construction by Emil Anderson Construction Co.

Most heavy drilling and blasting is being done on Millstream Road near Florence Lake Road.

One shift of about 95 men is expected to be doubled as the work progresses and further heavy equipment arrives.

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School bells changed again yesterday and 13,966 youngsters, many of them mournful, filed back to class.

Teachers weren't any too happy, either. But mothers sighed with relief.

Easter holidays were only a fortnight long, but they were a foretaste of what's to come only 41 school days from now when the long vacation starts. Only "day off" to come is May 24.

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The Veterans' Non-Pensioned Widows' Association is not connected in any manner, shape or form with any veterans' organization in Canada. It is registered under the B.C. Societies Act and is autonomous.

"We operate solely under our own rightful name and no one is allowed to represent us unless properly authorized and anyone doing so will be prosecuted," says a statement from the president, Mrs. Ethel Darville.

Flyers Leave for East

Two Victoria-trained private flyers left Sunday for Leamington, Ontario, to take a six-week course in crop dusting.

Arthur Smith and Peter Paine, both recent graduates of the Victoria Flying Club, will return after the course to work in B.C.

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George Gregory, M.L.A. will address a meeting of Ward Two, Liberal Association, in Liberal Headquarters, Government Street, tonight at 8.

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A thief did a lot of reaching to steal a six-foot extension tape yesterday from Saanich Lumber Yard, 910 Douglas. He put his arm through a small hole at the rear of the office and took the rule from the pocket of a spare pair of trousers lying there.

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Army, Navy and Air Force Veterans' club officials called in police after a counterfeit 25-cent piece was passed on the premises yesterday afternoon.

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Joan Cooper, 1678 Fireman, reported to police yesterday that her purse containing $5 and personal papers had been stolen from her car Sunday night. The vehicle was parked in the Uplands.

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Dr. Brock Chisholm will address the annual meeting of the Family and Children's Service on Thursday at 8 p.m. in Oak Bay Junior High School.

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Smile Show Recorded

The full Smile Show, part of which went to Korea in "Dear" form 18 months ago, was recorded in the TB Pavilion, Jubilee Hospital on Monday for use by Radio Maple Leaf, the Canadian armed forces radio in Korea and the Far East.

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The Victoria Arts Centre Mens Street is showing three separate groups of paintings, prints and serigraphs for the next two weeks.

The show are a collection of 19th and 20th century American paintings, prints of the works of Leonardo da Vinci and serigraphs a silk screen reproduction process—by Dean Meeker.

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Inquest into the death of Wilfred Henry, 37, of Brentwood Bay, will be held today at 10 a.m. The man died in St. Joseph's Hospital Saturday without regaining full consciousness. Henry was leaded by a heavy area chain from a crane leader which knocked him down and struck his body until Lawrence Lawton 528 Springfield, shut off the machine.

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The annual meeting of the Greater Victoria Arts Center will be held in the Arts Center, Moss Street, at 8 p.m. Friday.

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Delegates to the Rotary International Conference, to be held in Seattle June 6 to 8, have received an invitation to visit Victoria before or after the Seattle conference.

An advertisement in the Rotarian, which reaches 270,000 readers, invites the delegates to visit "the friendly Canadian city of Victoria with its atmosphere of unusual charm." It points out that Victoria is only four hours from Seattle by steamer, and 45 minutes by plane.

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A variety concert will be staged in Emmanuel Baptist Hall, Fernwood and Gladstone, on May 7 at 8 p.m.

The show will feature Sidney Harris, C. M. B. E., Mr. and Mrs. Ernest Hunter, Eleanore Wilson and Gwen Gillie.

Proceeds of the concert will go directly to Boy Scouts, Cubs and the Canadian Girls in Training. Rev. James Smith will be master of ceremonies.

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Victoria's Young Adult Club of the YMCA will play host to 130 delegates from Young Adult clubs in Washington and Oregon May 8 and 9.

The occasion will be the annual Pacific Northwest Young Adult Assembly. Brenda Lodge.

Guest speakers will be Rev. Douglas Carr and Rev William Hills from Victoria, and Stan Symington of the national council of the YMCA.

Langford School Patrol Now in Force

First project of newly-organized Langford Lions Club is operative with the start of the Langford School Patrol. The 15-mile-an-hour zone past the school will be eliminated now that the patrol is in force—part of the plan being to speed up traffic along the highway. Shown from left to right in the photo are Glen Stubbs, who heads committee of Lions handling group; Clifford Kildiff, 11, a schoolboy captain of the patrol; Cpl. Joe Shepherd of Colwood RCMP, and Charles Reader, 12, another patrol captain, stopping a car.

Bank Prepares $500,000 Plan For Expansion

Victoria main offices of the Bank of Montreal at Douglas and Yates will be expanded and completely renovated at a cost which may reach $500,000 the Colonist learned last night.

Patrick Birley, Victoria architect, is competing plans and estimates. A B.C. firm is acting manager, said.

The project will entail demolition of the adjacent Gray Block, housing a newsstand and lunch counter, and three shops, with offices above.

PROPERTY BOUGHT

The bank purchased the property with a view to expansion four years ago.

The new bank will be the biggest of any branches in B.C. second only to provincial head offices in Vancouver.

There will be a large public concourse. Mr. Black said and the tellers' cages and offices will surround the rotunda in a horseshoe shape.

"It will be one of the most modern offices in the bank of any system," said Mr. Black. "And it will be handsome. The interior will be diffused and finished with beauty as well as efficiency in mind.

GREY STONE FACE.

The face of the new construction will be in the same grey stone as the old office and the main entrance will be on Douglas.

Present staff varies between 50 and 90 and there will be room for expansion.

Date of commencement of construction has not been set but is expected to be within a month or two.

Rabbit Toll Rises

Hopes of winning coveted B.C. Products Fair prizes were dashed for Harry Sanders S. Leigh Road, Langford, during the week end when eight more of his prize rabbits were killed by marauding dogs.

It was the second attack in two days on the rabbit hutches. On Friday, eight rabbits were slaughtered and six injured.

Mr. Sander's latest loss included last year's Chinchilla Cup winner at the BC Products Fair.

The dogs broke through double wire screening and slats and pulled the rabbits through. Some of the animals had their eyes gouged and the tail of one was bitten completely off.

RUN FOR 14 DOGS.

Meanwhile, Cpl Joe Shepherd of Colwood RCMP said more than 300 persons had come forward to license their dogs in recent days.

"By no means does this cover the number of dogs we have in our area," he said last night. "Any owner of unlicensed dogs we catch will go before the judge."

He said the detachment was "suspicious" of a couple of dogs in the killing of 16 sheep at Albert Head a week ago.

"There is not sufficient evidence to warrant a charge," said Corporal Shepherd.

He said the many of one of the dogs under suspicion had destroyed the animal himself.

Ordeal Faces Claxton

Esquimalt council will seek an interview with Defence Minister Brooke Claxton during his visit here next week to talk financial aid for repairs and reconstruction of Admirals Road.

And Councillor G. F. Argyle wants to arrange the meeting so that the council can "take him over it during the rush hour."

Reeve A. C. Wurtele told council last night he had received no reply to queries sent to the minister earlier asking for a policy decision on financial aid from Ottawa for repairs to the vital defense link.

Reeve Wurtele, engineer John Graesser and clerk John Allen will investigate the possibility of opening one of three proposed new subdivisions and report to council as soon as possible.

The areas are Greenwood, Hatfield and Lampson Place.

Councillors urged the opening of at least one subdivision before the end of the year.

"We have people waiting to grab every new lot we approve," Councillor G. R. Guilleaume said.

It was proposed by council earlier this year that money from the reverted property fund be used for subdivision purposes, but Reeve Wurtele told council the municipal act will not allow it.

Drinking Ban Jumps Boundary

Esquimalt Pubs To Close for Vote

Esquimalt beer parlors have been ordered to close Wednesday even though the April 26 plebiscite only affects Victoria.

The Liquor Control Board sent the notice out to three beer parlors, the Esquimalt Legion, and the Esquimalt liquor store yesterday.

Officials of the Gorge, Half as the Six Mile House, Colwood Way House, and Tudor House Hotel, Sidney Hotel and Gold Stream Hotel, are not affected by the ban.

"It would be unfair to a small group," said Mr. Black. "And it will be handsome. The interior will be diffused and finished with beauty as well as efficiency in mind.

A Half Way House spokesman said one old timer had told him it was the first time in 23 years that Esquimalt beer parlors had been ordered to close for a Victoria city vote.

"As far as we understood, it was only Victoria proper which would be affected," he said. "Nevertheless we are willing to abide by the ruling."

A Tudor House official said: "It's very, very unusual. I've never heard of this sort of thing before."

Col Donald McGugan, liquor commissioner, could not be reached for comment last night.

The officers' messes at HMCS Naiden and Work Point Barracks advertised by the "Grys" as liquor outlets—have not been ordered to close.

All service clubs in Victoria city will be closed until voting is concluded on Wednesday.

Officials at both the Union and Pacific Clubs said it would not be known until today whether or not they will be able to serve drinks to members on voting day.

Fire Damages Saanich Home

Extensive damage was done to the living room of a Saanich home late last night when a spark from the fireplace ignited the chimney.

The home is owned by Kris Bulinck, 4061 Grange.

A police patrol car led the Saanich fire department to the scene after it had been wrong by announced that the fire was at 4061 Grange. Driving the patrol car was Const. Ed. Anderson of the Saanich police force, who owns 4060 Grange.

It was Mrs. Anderson who turned in the call.

Police Still Seek Safe-Crackers

Police still were combing lower Vancouver Island late Monday and early today for three men who blasted the safe of the Royal Theatre Sunday.

The bungled job of safeblowing, that left the thieves empty-handed but spattered the interior of the theatre office with soft soap, and bent the door of the safe, awoke residents in the area.

Theatre manager Cliff Denham was nonconmittal about the amount of money in the safe but it is believed at Friday and Saturday night receipts were there.

The men were believed to have entered the building by scaling a 40-foot wall on the east side of the building, using a 45-foot extension ladder. At first it was feared they had made off with the money.

Police believe the raiders had not allowed the nitroglycerin, used in the safe blowing, to seep into the door cracks of the safe before setting it off.

The noise from the explosion was Mrs L. Washburn, a resident of the nearby YWCA who saw three men leaving the scene. She alerted police, but could give no description of the men.

Deputy 22 Years

Saanich To Press for End Of School District Split

Saanich municipality wants to be in either one school district or another—not a part of two.

Clr. Roy Wootten suggested to Clr. S. W. Brock demanded last night that the council approach Education Minister Ray Williston with this plan in mind.

"Were taking a beating," Councillor Wootten said. "Because of Central Saanich's investment."

The issue arose when the council was informed the Assessment Equalization Board may begin next month its survey to establish levels in Greater Victoria School District No. 61.

K. F. B. Wildman informed council of the board's intention and won a promise of full co-operation.

But Saanich will make it clear that there are difficulties in assessing its area divided between District 63 and 61. The latter includes Central Saanich and Sidney.

Central Saanich assessments have been a sore point with Saanich, from which the junior municipality won secession only a few years ago. Saanich claims it carries a $6,000 burden. Central Saanich ought to bear.

The minister of education will matter, council decided.

Reeve Sidney Pickles of be approached on the whole

Central Saanich has declared he and his municipality would welcome an impartial investigation in the assessment field.

Clr. Harold Andrew has maintained "Central Saanich is paying its fair share of everything on which we can collect taxes."

Funds To Be Used For Roofed Play Area

Hampton Park playground committee decided last night to use its 1954 grant from Saanich municipality to build a covered open-air extension to the park buildings.

If funds will allow awning type covers will be erected over sand play boxes.

Supervised play will begin early in July and the committee appeals to teen-agers to assist in preparing the park playground for younger children.

Home Before End of Year

Mayhew Retiring Soon: Davis New Ambassador

Hon T. C Davis, former ambassador to West Germany, will succeed Hon. Robert Mayhew as ambassador to Japan before end of the year.

The Canadian diplomat, 64, interviewed in Winnipeg yesterday is flying to the B.C. coast for a visit. Mr. Mayhew now 73, has held the Tokyo diplomatic post for a year.

RETIREMENT HINTED

With a wide knowledge of Pacific fisheries problems, Mr. Mayhew has watched the negotiations

(committee planning division of the vital salmon catch, in which Japan's interest is as keen as British Columbia's. But as far back as February 10 his retirement was hinted.

Now Mr. Davis confirms his selection as successor to the veteran Victoria parliamentarian, who for many years was federal minister of fisheries.

C. A. S. Ritchie, chief adviser to Prime Minister St. Laurent during his world tour, is expected to go to Bonn as Mr. Davis' successor there.

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TI ESPAY, APRIL 27.
12.00 — Victoria Electric Club, Monterey Restaurant.
12.45 — Victoria Kiwanis Club, Empress.
6 p.m. — Pacific Club 60th Anniversary dinner
8 p.m. — Newfoundland Club, Orange Hall.

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Your Income Tax

Don't Put Cash in Mail

BY GORDON HOLMES
Member of the Institute of Chartered Accountants

Here are some general income tax do's and don'ts:

Don't file an amended return after first filing an income tax return and finding that you omitted some essential but cannot make it out for you.

Don't forget. If you are entitled to a refund, that you must file a return to get it. There is no time limit on claiming it.

For everyone not on wages or salary, it is required by the Income Tax Law that income for the year 1953 be estimated, and tax on the estimated income be paid in quarterly installments.

Anyone not familiar with this procedure should check with the income tax office for details.

Agriculture Expert, Dr. J. B. Munro Dies

Dr. John B. Munro, MBE, provincial deputy minister of agriculture for 22 years, died yesterday in Royal Jubilee Hospital.

Appointed deputy minister in 1932, the 62-year-old native of Agriculturist retired from government service three years ago because of poor health. He suffered a stroke last year at his home, 2170 Ferndale Road.

Dr. Munro was born at Ennis, Ontario, son of a farmer. He attended Guelph Agricultural College, taught school for a time, and in 1919, was graduated from the University of Toronto with a B.Sc. degree. He joined the master's degree from Ottawa University for his research on Indian languages one of his hobbies.

Dr Munro was in service with the federal agriculture department before coming to this province. He was appointed agricultural education inspector at Armstrong in 1920 by the B.C. government.

Two years later he became assistant field crops commissioner.

His learning was widely recognized. He was a member of the council of the British Columbia Institute of Agrologists, the RCAF at Penhold, Alta and until a few years ago represented BC on the agricultural advisory committee, Canadian Federation of Agriculture.

He received his MBE in 1949 for wartime service to Canada. He had also served as president of the Canadian council on boys' and girls' club work.

Dr. Munro is survived by his widow, Lillian, two daughters, Donna a nurse at Royal Jubilee, and Mrs. Elaine McMurphy of Calgary, two sons, James of the Prince Rupert, and Eric with Calls Agricultural Branch in charge of arrangements.

DR. J. B. MUNRO

Seen in Passing

Esquimalt municipal clerk John Allen adjusting the Esquimalt council chamber clock to daylight saving time—one day late. Mrs. Vala Brown out-singing her two chirping canaries in the Victoria Arts Centre. Major C. A. Milloy discussing next month's Salvation Army drive. Bob Taylor, and Michael and daughter Joanne getting their Langford Lake waterfront ready for the swimming season.

Barbara Ann Coleman Bride At Ceremony in Truth Centre

A quartette of attendants [illegible] ing to Mr Alan Keller [illegible] gowned in pastel pink and mint [illegible] Rev. Emma Smiley. [illegible] came down the aisle of the Mr. Irvin Ford sang. Because [illegible] Victoria Truth Centre with Bar- [illegible] during the signing of the [illegible] bara Ann Coleman at her wed- [illegible] organist.

The double ring ceremony [illegible] performed in a setting of Easter [illegible] lilies, and ferns.

Alan and daffodils united the [illegible] daughter of Mr. and Mrs. F. [illegible] Coleman, 741 Raph Street, and [illegible] the son of Mr. Alan Keller, 224 [illegible] Russell Street, and Mrs. J. [illegible] Keller, 1152 Chapman Street.

Entering the chapel on her father's arm, the bride looked [illegible] in a gown fashioned with [illegible] lace [illegible] in a pointed peplum over a [illegible] skirt of filmy net over taffeta. She wore a net jacket [illegible] the elbow length gloves [illegible] with diamond [illegible] shaped inserts of lace.

A matching headdress held her fingertip veil of illusion [illegible] edged with [illegible] lace, and she carried a bouquet of Easter lilies, and fern.

Matron of honor was Mrs. J. H. Moulton, who wore a floor length gown of shell pink lace [illegible] colonial bouquet of pink [illegible]

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MRS. ALAN KELLER
Campbell's studio photo

[illegible] variations and blue Rosettes. [illegible] Hollywood length gowns in pale [illegible] blue with lace bodices, and [illegible] jackets and net skirts were [illegible] chosen by bridesmaids Miss Jane Thorburn and Miss Margaret Jeffries who carried colonial bouquets of yellow [illegible] and [illegible] flowers. [illegible] junior bridesmaid Miss [illegible] Walding wore a pale pink [illegible] length gown of net [illegible] and wore a bouquet of pink carnations and blue [illegible]

Mr. William Matheson was best man and ushers were Mr. Earl Keller, Mr. Robert Darnell, and Mr. Russell Coleman.

The Dogwood Room of the Mayfair provided was the scene of the reception at which Mr. Alan Walding proposed the toast to the bride.

Following a honeymoon motoring through BC, Mr. and Mrs. Keller will reside at 17 Government Street.

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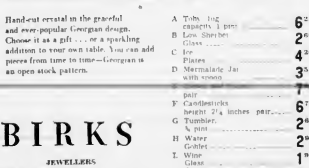

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Beauty and You

By MARION MATTHEWS

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Canada-Wide YWCA Week Marked by Local Group

[illegible] Canada-wide YWCA week [illegible] first National YWCA week [illegible] in Canada is being [illegible] under from [illegible] to [illegible] during the week of April 25-30 May 1. During this period members of the local association will [illegible] in more than 50 other Canadian YWCA's and branches [illegible] a nationwide week, dedicated to the service of women and girls. During this time a converted effort for new members will be made.

[illegible] Tuesday, April 27 Grow with Canada Grow with the YWCA Grow, the local association launched observance Friday, April 23, when the president Mrs. H. J. Scott, and members of the board of directors entertained at a coffee party for members and friends.

Saturday special recognition was given to the parents of the junior drama art and dancing groups when the program committee under the chairmanship of Mrs. A. G. H. Tisdall gave a coffee party for them in the evening the program department sponsored an all association dance, the proceeds of which will assist delegates to attend the annual YWCA Young Adult Conference at White Rock May 15 and 16.

Sunday was marked as YWCA Sunday in churches. On that day each of the 11,000 members of the organization was urged to attend the church of choice.

Wednesday Would Members Day. The [illegible] association will hold a [illegible] in the building from 7 to 7.45 p.m. Miss Mae Brown, executive secretary will conduct the service. Greetings received from association offices around the world have been posted on the bulletin [illegible]

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The round of pre-nuptial parties for Miss Nancy Carmichael and her fiance Sub-Lieut. William Allan Nelles RCN, continues this week. Sunday afternoon Mrs. Ian Linder Wilson entertained at the cocktail hour at the home of her mother, Mrs. J. Roger Roy, Pemberton Road, in honor of the engaged couple.

Mrs. Harold Henderson was hostess yesterday afternoon at a luncheon at her Despard Avenue home for Miss Carmichael when guests were Mrs. Maurice Chadwick, Mrs. Percy W. Nelles, Mrs. H. Maitland Young, Mrs. L. T. Blair, Miss Peggy Beck, of Vancouver and Miss Janet Henderson daughter of the hostess. Who came over from the University of British Columbia for the week end. The popular young couple were also honored at a bridge party last evening given by Capt. and Mrs. Maxwell Gordon at Arbow Farm, Royal Oak. Luncheon hostess today for Miss Carmichael is Mrs. H. R. Reid, Rockland Avenue.

Following the wedding rehearsal Wednesday evening, Mrs. Percy W. Nelles, mother of the groom-elect will entertain members of the wedding party at a buffet supper at her home at St. Charles Street.

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Home from European Visit

Mr and Mrs W. F. Stegner have returned to their home on Beach Drive after spending five months holidaying in southern Europe, during which they visited Paris, the French and Italian Riviera, the Isle of Capri, Venice and Rome. They returned on Mr Dongedyk of the Holland America line.

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Here from Yukon

Mrs Robin McGregor, the former Sue Taylor of Victoria, has no rides to return to her home in Teslin, Yukon Territory, after visiting her sister, Mrs. Walter Sotham Chapman Street.

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Beverley Irings Honored

Miss Beverley Irings, whose marriage to Mr Johnny Johnson, takes place next month has been honored at parties given by friends. Mrs. A. F. Evans, Fairfield Road was hostess at a miscellaneous shower for Miss Irings when the gifts were presented in a corsage of red carnations. Guests were Mrs. F. F. Irings and Mrs J. V. Johnson mother of the groom-elect, received pink carnation corsages. Refreshments were served from a lace-covered table which was centered with pink camellias and white hyacinths and lighted by pink candles in silver holders. There were 40 guests.

A dinner party for Miss Irings and her fiance Mr Johnson was given by Miss Lynne Lorimer at her home on Maddison Avenue. Other guests were Mr. and Mrs. D. M. Anderson Miss Mary Lou Findlay, Mr. Derek Crice and Mr. Gary Webster.

Mrs. F. C. Rawlinson, Lansdowne Avenue, entertained at a miscellaneous shower recently to compliment Miss Irings. A corsage of rosebuds and boutonniere was presented to the bride-elect, while the mothers of the couple Mrs. F. F. Irings and Mrs. J. V. Johnson received red roses on corsage. The gifts were displayed in a wishing well. Refreshments were served from a pastel colored tapers formed an attractive centerpiece for the table from which refreshments were served. There were 16 guests.

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Christening at Langford

In the beautifully decorated church of St. Matthew's Lang ford a christening ceremony was held on Easter Sunday after noon when Rev. Hywell J. Jones gave the rite of baptism to Lee the 4½ month-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Bayley Beals Beals Road, Langford. Godparents were Mr. Ron Lamer, Langford Lake Mr. Ted Bayles, Rome Italy and Mrs. James H. Momsen, Parkside, Australia. Mr. A. F. Bayles and Mrs. Ron Lamer acted as proxies for the two absent godparents. A tea was held at the home of the paternal grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. A. F. Bayles. Guests were Rev. and Mrs. H. J. Jones and Lindsay; Mr. and Mrs. H. W. McKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Ron Lamer and Frank, Mrs. Grace L. Brown, Mr. and Mrs. Rod Bayles and Rod, Mr. and Mrs. Rich Bayles, Colwood, Mrs. Kay Munro, Vancouver and Miss Eileen Hinks, Caracas, Venezuela S.A.

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Reception for Newlyweds

Mr and Mrs. Herbert G. Smith, the former Helen Maxwell, who were married April 22, in Winnipeg, arrived Sunday to spend a honeymoon here. They are the guests of Mr. Smith's brother-in-law and sister Mr. and Mrs. A. Stevenson, Windsor Road for a week. Sunday, Mr. and Mrs. Stevenson honored the bridal couple at a reception at their home. Twenty guests were invited.

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Out-of-Town Guests

Out of town guests at the Maclean-Lancaster wedding Saturday afternoon were Mrs. F. Hammond, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Maclean, Whaleboat, B.C., Mr. and Mrs. F. Baker Hopkins Landing, B.C., Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Macdonald, Mr. and Mrs. C. Naples, Miss Joan Ackerman, Vancouver.

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Here from Pittsburgh

Dr and Mrs. H. H. Finlay, Pittsburgh are spending a week visiting the former's father Mr. W. N. Finlay St Patrick Street.

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Entertain at Dinner

Mr and Mrs. I. J. Kennedy entertained at a dinner party prior to the recent wedding of their son Mr Lawrence Kennedy, and Miss Patricia Douglas, when guests were members of the wedding party. The lace-covered dinner table was centered with a bowl of scarlet tulips.

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Here for Recent Wedding

Attending the wedding of Betty Ann Christie and Robert Lloyd Salmond were Mr and Mrs. J. Salmond, Sylvia Salmond Prince Albert, Sask. Mr and Mrs. N. M. Christie Mrs. M. Burton Vancouver, Mr. Ronald Christie New Westminster, Mrs. Elsie Bailey, Frances Bailey, Ocean Falls, Mr. and Mrs. L. Christie, Maurene and Lois Christie Nanaimo, Mr. George Taylor, Prince George, Mr. and Mrs. J. Caldwell, David and Brian Caldwell, Alberni, Mrs. E. Johnson, Gary Johnson, Alberni, Mr and Mrs. G. Farquarson, Penticton.

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For Saturday Bride

A miscellaneous shower in compliment to the former Miss Dolores Keenan whose marriage to Mr. William R. Bayliss took place Saturday evening was given by Mrs. Joseph Wright at her home on Quadra Street. White carnation corsages were presented to the bride and her mother Mrs. D. W. Kenyon, while Mrs. J. Bayliss, mother of the groom received pink carnation corsages. A centrepiece decorated in rose and white held the gifts. Other guests were Mrs. M. J. Bilard grandmother of the groom, Mrs. W. Wilmshurst, Mrs. T. Barnes, Mrs. M. Bulmer, Mrs. V. Holt, Mrs. E. Entwistle Mrs F. Moffat Mrs. P. Austin and Misses Carol James, Diane Kenyon and Lorraine Wright.

Saskatoon Wedding Of Interest Here

Chefat Church, Saskatoon was fields and Miss Amelia Paton, the scene of the wedding of sister of the groom, in pink net. Amy Lilian Anne Berry, bride and was with headband Toombs, daughter of Mrs. Wint and bouquet of roses and carnation, and nasturtiums.

Roland Cecil Wakefield. Free Mr. Rupert H Wakefield of mont, Sask. son of Mr. and Mrs. Mardonine was best man for his B. Wakefield, Victoria. Rev. brother, and ushers were Mr. Canon H. Bowles officiated. Robert Paton, and Mr. Ewart

The bride was given in marriage by her brother, Mr. Gerald Toombs. She chose a strapless gown of wedding cake textured satin with a table white net and lace over satin decorated in pink, green, and with skirt flared, and floor-white chrysanthemums. Her pearl crowned. She carried a bouquet of pink roses and white prayer book topped with Freemont, Sask. after a honeysweetheart roses and orange Saskatoon. For travelling the honeymoon.

Bridesmaids were Miss Jean bride wore a navy blue suit with Thomas, gowned in yellow taffeta and pink and white accessories and felt with headband and colonial corsage of deep red roses and bouquet of carnations and dail orange blossoms.

A reception followed in the church hall, where a three-tier wedding cake centered a table decorated in pink, green, and white chrysanthemums. Her pearl crowned. The newlyweds will live near Saskatoon. For travelling the bride wore a navy blue suit with pink and white accessories and a corsage of deep red roses and orange blossoms.

To Model in Guild Fashion Show

Pictured above in some of the smart spring ensembles they will model in a fashion show being sponsored by St Mary's Women's Guild are Mrs. Sutherland Brown, Mrs. D. M. Waters, Mrs. E. Napier-Hemy, Mrs. H. A. Black, Mrs. J. S. Rigby, and Mrs. D. C. Hill-Tout, left to right. The event, for which the Hudson's Bay Company will supply clothes, will take place this Wednesday in the parish hall, Yale Street.

Bride Betty Ann Christie Designs Own Wedding Gown of Lace, Tulle

A wedding gown of lace and tulle and satin which she had designed and made herself was worn by Betty Ann Christie at her marriage to Robert Lloyd Salmond solemnized recently by Dr J. L. W. McLean in St Andrew's Presbyterian Church where a profusion of daffodils, tulips and tulips formed a background for the double ring ceremony. Miss Sylvia Inkpen sang The Wedding Prayer.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur J. Christie 241 St Andrew's Street and the late Mr. Christie. The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Salmond, Prince Albert, Sask.

Given in marriage by Mr. Norman Christie of Vancouver, the auburn haired bride was charming in her gown fashioned in bodice of lace over satin, with net inserts at the neck line and scalloped lace peplum over the following tulle skirt.

She wore a bolero jacket of tulle with scalloped inserts of lace and her embroidered fitted length veil moulded from a crescent of seed pearls. Her jewelry was the groom's gift of pearl necklace, earrings and bracelet. The bridal bouquet was a cascade of tulle spray. The following tulle skirt

Matron of honor was Mrs Mirlie Christie in a spring suit of green attired with satin bodice and nylon tulle skirt, topped with a brief shoulder jacket. She wore a matching fury hat and elbow length gloves. Bridesmaids Miss Pat Bayles of Ocean Falls and Miss Vi Johnson of Alberni chose silver tissue ensembles in sky blue and dusty pink respectively, and all carried matching posies of tulips and heather.

Miss Sylvia Salmond, sister of the groom as junior bridesmaid and Miss Linda Scaft, flower girl, were gowned in taffeta and net frocks with satin waistbands. They wore flower headbands and carried colonial bouquets.

Mr Joe Christie, brother of the bride, was best man, while Mr Donald Brown and Mr. Russell Bathurst were ushers.

At the reception in the Grange Hall, the newlyweds stood under a trellis of daffodils and laurel to receive guests, assisted by Mrs. Christie in navy lace over pink matching accessories and pink carnation corsage and Mrs. Salmond in pale blue with pink accessories and pink rose corsage.

Mr R. Christie proposed the bridal toast and the couple cut a three-tier wedding cake decorated with yellow roses. Toastmaster were Mrs M Brown and Mrs. J. Bairnsf Mrs M Lucas and Miss Marjorie Christie.

After a honeymoon motoring to Vancouver Island Mr. and Mrs. Salmond will live at 366 Foul Bay Road. The bride travelled in a navy blue suit, white straw hat, coat pink and navy blue accessories, and corsage of roses and white heather.

Around and About

Spring Tea Planned By YMCA Auxiliary

Thursday is the date of the annual spring tea under the auspices of the Ladies' Auxiliary to the YMCA, when members will be hostesses in the Mural Room of the YMCA from 2.45 to 4.30 p.m.

Mrs D McArtie is present convener, and guests will be received by Mrs F Appleton, retiring president and Mrs. C. C. Argyle past president. Pouring tea will be Miss Kathleen Evans, Mrs J Barrington, Mrs H Hickman and Mrs H. J. Swain.

An interesting program is being arranged by Mrs H. L. Campbell.

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MISS KATHLEEN MCNEW

MOTHER'S DAY TEA

Garden City United Church WA will hold a Mother's Day tea Tuesday May 4 in the church, when aprons and home cooking will be sold.

Mrs. W. B. Scott of Edmonton was a visitor at a recent meeting of the group.

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ST. GEORGE'S BANQUET

Daughters of the George Vic toria Lodge No 63 held a banquet at McEwen's to mark St George's day, when guests of honor were Mrs A. Bacon district deputy, and Mrs I Rogers president of Princess Patricia

Mrs. K. Limer was convener and speaker. Miss C. Fairservice gave an account of the life of St George Mrs I Pearson sang soprano and Mrs Keith Parsons tenor, entertained.

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PLAN COMPETITION

Mrs L Johns and Mrs A McKay will convene the May social meeting of the Victoria Women's Institute when a floral table competition and a

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Doris Lancaster Saturday Bride

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Easter lilies and other spring bloom decorated Christ Church Cathedral for the rites during which a nephew Mr. Graham Reed played the organ. "O Perfect Love" was sung during the signing of the register.

The bride whose father gave her in marriage, chose a ballerina length gown of satin crepe sprinkled with pearls in satin for her wedding Saturday afternoon in Dennis John and her only jewelry was a pearl necklace and earrings. She carried pink snapdragon carnations, and white heather.

Bridesmaids were Miss Louise Ross and Miss Yvonne Ross both of Whaleboat. They wore ballerina-length gowns of net and lace over satin in pale flower decorated Chinese pattern. Their matching picture bonnets were of pink and yellow mists. They received bouquets were of blue and yellow flowers.

Mr. Rollo M. Ross of Whaleboat was best man and ushers were Mr. Gordon Creed and Mr. Raymond Garside.

A reception was given in the Fireside Room of St. John's parish hall by the executive of the diocesan board of the women's auxiliary. The bride's mother wore a navy blue silk dress matching hat trimmed with pink, while the groom's mother wore forest green crepe with matching picture hat.

Tea was poured by Mrs R. O. Taylor and Mrs R. M. Ross and Mr. Ross proposed the toast to the bride.

Leaving for a honeymoon on the mainland the bride wore a powder blue gabardine suit with navy blue accessories and pink rosebud corsage.

Modern Etiquette

BY ROBERTA LEE

Q. If a young girl has invited a young man to visit her home and he has not done so within a reasonable length of time would it be all right for her to extend a second invitation?

A. It would be better if she did not, as this would give the impression that she is "pursuing" him.

Q. Should the family of an honored speaker sit in the audience and applaud what he is saying?

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Postal Workers Worst Treated, Declares Winch

OTTAWA (CP) — Harold E. Winch, outspoken CCF member for Vancouver, East, said Monday the post office is becoming "the most despicable, disrepulsive employer in the Dominion of Canada."

"You the government are pulling the dirtiest, lowest stunt ever pulled by any employer in Canada," Mr. Winch said as the Commons resumed the budget debate after the Easter recess.

He said the post office in giving employees in some centres a five-day, 40-hour week April 1, removed the night differential and provided extra overtime pay only for work beyond 48 hours a week.

"The post office was holding men for months or years at casual employees, earning 97 cents an hour, "in order to cut the throats of those who should have wages."

"You're bringing about the most miserable conditions ever known in Canada between employers and employees," he said, pointing at government benches.

Mr. Winch, a member of an electrical workers' union, said he knows of no union agreement in Canada providing that workers on a 40-hour week must put in more than 48 hours to get extra overtime pay.

In eliminating the post office night differential there had been a wage increase he said, but not enough to make up for the loss.

Mr. Winch was called to order for saying Postmaster General Cote had given him the lie in saying January 15 the government had no thought of changing the night differential. He withdrew the statement at the request of the Speaker.

Woman Gets Day Less Jail

A woman convict who evidently can't bear to leave B.C. got no sympathy yesterday from the British Columbia Court of Appeal here.

Mrs. Beatrice Fors had one day lopped off her two-year sentence at her own request so she could serve her time at Oakalla instead of the women offenders' unit at Kingston, Ont. Sentences of two years and more must be served in a federal penitentiary.

Mrs. Fors had been convicted of obtaining $5,000 by false pretenses from the Workmen's Compensation Board.

Ottawa Will Not Extend Unemployment Benefits

OTTAWA (CP) — Labor Minister Gregg said yesterday normal period of collecting the government has decided against extending unemployment insurance benefits.

He was asked in the Commons by George Hees (PC, Toronto, Broadview) if the government intends to extend its April 15 deadline for the payment of "supplementary" insurance benefits to seasonal unemployed.

Mr. Gregg replied that consideration was given to this action but it was decided not to take it.

Supplementary benefits were instituted by the government about three years ago to provide additional insurance for workers put out of jobs during the winter period of seasonal unemployment. Up to April 15, displaced workers can get insurance even though their benefits have run out.

Later, in the budget debate Harold E. Winch (CCF, Vancouver East) criticized the cutting off of supplementary unemployment insurance benefits for Vancouver alone. A 500-jobless men had been cut off April 15 from any further federal help, he said. The province and the city of Vancouver now were taking care of employable people out of work.

Two Tag Days For Esquimalt

Permission was granted two organizations to hold tag days in Esquimalt by the municipal council last night.

The Victoria Nursing Home Auxiliary was given permission to tag June 5 and the Queen Alexandra Solarium Junior League on May 3.

A grant of $100 to the Salvation Army was passed by council.

Touring Artists Like Russia Best

EDMONTON (CP) — Six touring concert artists from the Soviet Union find Canada and Canadians stimulating but prefer to live in Russia.

The most famous member of the troupe touches off the idea of ever settling in this country.

Asked during an interview Sunday if he would like to stay in Canada, 29-year-old Leonid Kogan, internationally known violin virtuoso replied through an interpreter:

"Such a question makes me smile. It takes only a month and I'm homesick, so no such question can arise."

Mr. Kogan has a wife and two-year-old son in Moscow.

QUITE AT EASE

Dressed in a coarse, brown suit, which shone around the collar from use and wearing thin, cheap-looking summer shoes, Mr. Kogan answered questions with ease while four other members of the troupe listened.

But he wouldn't say if he noticed any difference between Canadian and Russian audiences. "I don't like comparisons," he said.

"I have found Canadians very nice and they appreciate music very much."

The artists played to two capacity audiences in the Ukrainian Centre here Saturday night. An estimated 700 persons crowded the hall for the evening performance while another 100 listened to the musical portion of the program over loudspeakers in the basement.

The tour, sponsored by the Canadian-Soviet Friendship Society, has also played to capacity houses in Toronto and Vancouver.

The group left by air Sunday some going to Saskatoon and the others to Winnipeg.

The Russians believe their large audiences are made up of bona fide art enthusiasts and not the curious.

"I find Canadians interesting and clever regardless of political or other interests," said Mr. Kogan. "They attend our concerts because they are interested in music."

PTA Activities

Talk on Education Set at Cordova Bay

Dr. Harold Johns, director of Educational PTA is a keen educational and vocational guidance for B.C. will speak meeting. J. Wallach will lead on "Looking at Education as a the combating committee of Teacher and Parent" at the the organization next general meeting of Cordova Bay Parent Teacher Association at 8 p.m. Thursday.

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The regular meeting of the Fairfield Bay McTavish PTA will be held at 8 p.m. Wednesday.

The association will sponsor a concert, home cooking table, flower and plant stall in Fairfield Bay School at 7:30 p.m. Friday.

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Plans to hold a picnic in June were made by members of

EIGHTH ANNUAL TEA

Lindisfarne Young People's Group of the Saanich Church will hold their eighth annual spring tea and sale Friday, April 30 at 8 p.m. in the church of Lindisfarne Avenue.

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Political Matter Down the Line

Wet-Dry Fight Started in Douglas' Day

BY JIM NESBITT

"Mr. Nesbitt will focus notes and observations on political and historical events in a frequent column in the Daily Colonist."

The people who're called dry and the people who're called wets are arguing today as they've been arguing in this place for more than a century.

During all our history, liquor and its sale have been mixed up with governments and politicians. Liquor in our civilization is a political question much as politicians and governments may prefer it isn't.

It was in 1851 that liquor first became embroiled in the tangle of politics in British Columbia.

A lot of people think that liquor being mixed up in politics is something new. It isn't!

A lot of us too have thought that government liquor profits are some new tangled notion. They're not!

STARTED BY DOUGLAS

James Douglas the founder of British Columbia, may well be called the father of government liquor profits in this part of the world.

When he, as royal governor ruled with a hand of iron, the Crown Colony of Vancouver Island, he was both horrified at the wholesale bottle guzzling and hungry for money to run his government to provide social services he could hardly afford his education. For he was a far sighted man.

So he combined his desires in one a curb on drinking and to raise money a painless way and from that combination came liquor profits for the government. The Douglas liquor profits were in the form of liquor licenses.

Douglas was an abstemious man but he used liquor to soften the opposition of those who disapproved of liquor licenses. Douglas was a good politician!

Dr. J. S. Helmcken a son in law of Douglas in his memoirs tells how the first liquor profit system in B.C. was born. "Mr. Douglas designed a 'license' on houses selling spirits the room all were summoned but the opposition was great and the governor had to emphasize this

WON BY MADEIRA

"That gave in, but Cooper remained obdurate. . . . So as things became tedious or unpleasant, the governor ordered Madeira, pipes and tobacco to be brought in. Now these things are very consoling and insidious in effect, so Capt. Cooper was liked a glass of good wine took more than one stead of in bars and taverns and then, although the room where liquor cost more because was smoke, he thought to see if more chairs the subject was not without some reason.

And so the deputation weakened a little and after two more pleasant pipes, the wine gave perhaps, and with a good and generous sacrifice of some more and from the long disagreeable he came amicable and at peace without saying he would not consent but he consented!

"There was a little more wine and friendship after this and then the room it adjourned having passed the first liquor license law."

Prompts started another at issue. Who was to get licenses and who would be refused and if so, why? Who would some people have it refused and some be refused?

The government of Douglas having interfered with the liquor business, now produced a big headache for it and a headache that has grown for every government since.

PROFITABLE PAIN

Of course if all governments would rather put up with this kind of headache than do without liquor profits. Money can ease pain even political pain!

The argument about who should have licenses in the long ago became so fierce that the Colonist stepped in to enumerate editorially. Liquor laws anonymous ought to be made in the liquor law so as to run the proper facilities for doing business. As it is now it is almost impossible to get a license.

"Respectable men come to this country to make money. They may be willing to pay the enormous sum required but they become disgusted with the results of this; have to wait three months for what ought to be granted at once or sent on with some chose from the highest to the lowest utility through every department of the government and in the end their applications passed by unpaid. Licenses should be granted to everyone on application fitness to be not a disreputable person, the discretionary power should not extend beyond this."

ANOTHER POINT

There was another argument too, whether or not the Douglas law, plan in control drinking had done this, or had caused bootlegging and smuggling and, therefore, severe drinking and guzzling in alleyways. In the prevention of the sale. Is there nothing from the reduction of price, and the substitution of light wines for strong spirituous liquors.

That argument goes on today. Most here and where with restaurant meals will roll down a glass of hard liquor from the bottle.

LIQUOR SIZED

Liquor has always caused trouble in British Columbia, as indeed it has everywhere else. Here's a new-paper item of 1858 in Victoria: "Liquor seized.

"A considerable amount of liquor was seized yesterday on board the steamer, Wilson G. Hunt, arrived for Fraser River. It was packed in casks and marked boxes. The liquor was taken in charge by the Customs House officers and we presume will be confiscated.

Dr. Helmcken eminent physician, too, tells of the difficulties Douglas had with liquor even though he governing was not built in ply. Capt. Cooper with good and intelligent Madeira to offer and he refused. Douglas should have his way.

Dr. Helmcken wrote that some of the men of the Hudson's Bay company, had some smuggled liquor into Fort Victoria and had it in strong their defiance of Douglas and his liquor laws. Douglas learned of it and seized a cask.

Dr. Helmcken described the occasion. After much trouble a barrel-full was found hidden under the floor of the men's house. The men would defend it—we all had to go the Parson Staines, with a long sword which had belonged to one of his celebrated ancestors who had been hanged for some thing against Cromwell.

"The men were all forced to run out of the room whilst we got out the whisky. Staines stood with his sword stretched out across the room and called out "Who dare?" So the men jeered and said we don't want to pass it and went back to their fellows.

COUNTER MOVES

"The barrel was taken out and in the yard Mr. Douglas said knock the head out. Mr. Finlayson and in the presence of the men knocked the head out and let the liquor run down the gutter into a stream. The men rushed out then and gathered up as much as they could on the ground to drink it as it ran or rolled in pools. Some on their knees scooped it up with their hands others lay down and sipped from the earth.

"So I pushed in and got some and parked cars on beer and tartar emetic and spinkled the wine with restaurant meals and whisky on the ground. Are long cocktails in pleasant surroundings the argument about not been complicated and lies about the ground liquor racing for a century will long and agree than research—not be settled!

Dr. Helmcken should have known for as many a long rough voyage he was a ship's surgeon!

Looking back on our storms liquor issues and the part politics and governments have played in it everyone knows that no matter which way the voters decide this week that Victoria will go—continuation of bootlegging in hotel bedrooms, strictly opposite the new City Hall Junior High School.

Plans for the new church have not been completed.

Work Started At Church Site

Clearing of a new church site was begun Saturday by members of the Grace Evangelical Lutheran Church.

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Plans for the new church have

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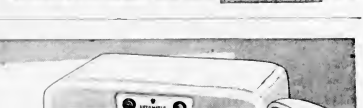

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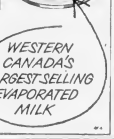

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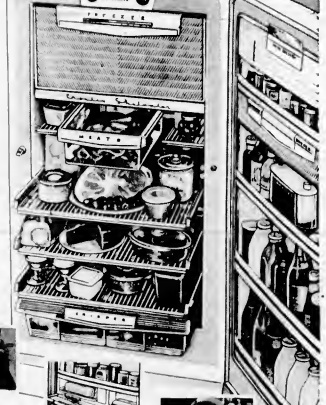

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Daily Astrology

BY
RITA DEL MAR

TUESDAY, APRIL 27, 1954

Today's quotation, "The sorrow of yesterday is as striking that of today is banality but that of tomorrow is gigantic because indistinct." Euripides.

Tuesday for everyone: Look ahead following the early morning. Use past experience and your particular talents as a guide to future procedures. Don't be overly set on having your own way in the afternoon. Use good judgment, especially about money matters. Evening se friends.

Look for your birthsign and birthdate below.

March 21 to April 19 (Aries): Be with relatives or add to acquaintanceships in morning. Take it easier in the evening.

April 20 to May 20 (Taurus): Headway can be realized in work during morning. Try to make friends and advance hopes and wishes in the evening.

May 21 to June 20 (Gemini): Your perspective is deepened able in the morning, make practical decisions. Promote stabilizer, prestige in the evening.

June 21 to July 22 (Cancer): Affirm confidential matters; meet others, halfway about funds in the morning. Make plans, trips in the evening.

July 23 to Aug. 22 (Leo): Cultivate relationship with others, be readily available in the morning. Be economical later.

Aug. 23 to Sept. 22 (Virgo): Strengthen your standing in work health, service in the morning. Get around a bit in the evening.

Sept. 23 to Oct. 22 (Libra): Gain give pleasure in the morning hours. Enhance your popularity then. Evening at tend to routine duties.

Oct. 23 to Nov. 21 (Scorpio): Stay close to the domestic or business scene in the morning. The trend of events favors you in the evening, take responsible chances.

Nov. 22 to Dec. 21 (Sagittarius): Hold discussions, make up your mind to the morning. Maintain flexibility in arrangements in the evening.

Dec. 22 to Jan. 19 (Capricorn): Make necessary purchases or add to savings after the early morning. Catch up with correspondence concerns in the evening.

Jan. 20 to Feb. 18 (Aquarius): Get others to lend a hand or give in a bit, win people over in the morning. Add to assets of possessions in the evening.

Feb. 19 to March 20 (Pisces): Practical, thoughtful attitude in the morning. Other people tend to be well disposed toward you in the evening.

Planning ahead: Good for entertainment, sociability, etc. April 30, May 6, 12, 16, 17, 22, 23, 25, 31.

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and Oswald Jacoby

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♦ K J
♣ N 9 6 5

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♥ 6 5 2
♦ 7 5
♣ 7 3

EAST
♠ K K 7
♥ Q 9 8
♦ 6 3
♣ 8 4
♣ Q

SOUTH
♠ Q 9 5 2
♥ A
♦ A Q 10 8 2
♣ A 10 2

The bidding:

South	West	North	East
1 N T	Pass	3 N T	3 ♥
3 N T	All pass		

One of the most entertaining, instructive and practical features to appear in The Bridge World Magazine is the annual "Help Your Play" quiz prepared by Theodore A. Lightner. Why is one of the very greatest players and analysts. If you will keep your thumbs over the East West cards you'll enjoy tackling this problem.

West opens the ten of hearts. North plays six. East plays the nine and you south win with the ace. You lead the ace of clubs. West plays the four and East drops the queen. Now you decide to cash the king.

Most players including not a few experts would proceed to cash their five diamond tricks to see whether East's discards don't give a further clue to the distribution. If you do that East will follow to two rounds of diamonds. You discard six of hearts and ten clubs and East has made a nice tag-along play.

But if you hold: run the diamonds, you'd safely, even for not as Mr Lightner points out if you didn't play the hand to take advantage yourself. Suppose you confidently play diamond king and expect to drop the jack from East.

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Quals on Parksville Canadian Club will meet at the Legion Hall Hotel, Parksville Tuesday, April 27 at 8 p.m. Guest speaker will be Dr. William Newton of Saanichton Experimental Station.

The Daily Cross-Word Puzzle . . .

Answer to Yesterday Puzzle

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ence of Viet Nam in doubt
He said he could not agree to
breaking up his country.
The French ministry of asso
ciated states Indo-China issued
a communique a few hours
later saying Bao Dai's com
munique "was received with
astonishment by the French
government
The text, the associated states
ministry statement said, seemed
"to cast doubt on the good will
of France in the settlement of the
French-Viet Namese relations,"
The Bao Dai announcement
clearly was a blow to the
Geneva conference where the
Indo-China problem perhaps is
the toughest being faced

Professor To Speak On History

Professor Benjamin Meritt of
Princeton University who has
spent several years interpreting
inscriptions found in Greece,
will speak at Victoria College
Wednesday at 8:15 p.m. on "New
Sources for Ancient History"
The lecture will be illustrated
by colored slides
Thursday at 7:30 p.m. a "Great
Books" leader course will begin
The course will be over five
successive Thursdays and will
be under the direction of Dwe
Ferguson the Chicago
representative from Seattle
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standing books of the world and
their discussion will be welcome.

Community Service Grants Set at $6,894 by Saanich

Saanich municipality has
included $6,894 in 1954 estimates
for community service grants
$3,000 of which is earmarked for
Victoria-Saanich beaches and
parks committee
Five Boy Scout groups will
receive a total of about $300 in
grants varying from $25 to $97
Victoria Lifesaving Council
Saanich Recreation Commission
has been allotted $2,000
Other community service
grants are for Saanich Municipal
Employees Association May 24
Saanich Chamber of Commerce,
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Norman Kiley, northwest operations manager for the company said, Kaiser engineers and geologists plan to study the possibility of constructing a privately financed water power project as a source of power to guarantee high level aluminum production and fabrication operation for the company in the northwest.

He said officials had discussed with Canadian authorities the possibility of an Arrow Lakes storage dam which would provide sufficient usable water to power power generation by Columbia River plants to firm up much of the interruptible power Kaiser now uses

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5:30 Newsroom
5:45 Sportsman with Walt Dale
6:00 News Pulse & Chap
6:15 Sportsman with Walt
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6:45 Book of Montreal
7:00 Lone Star Dan
7:15 Lone Star Dan
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7:45 Lone Star Dan
8:00 News Quiz
8:15 Tommy Tucker
8:30 Tommy Tucker
8:45 Tommy Tucker
9:00 Jones Beachcomber
9:15 Jones Beachcomber
9:30 Jones Beachcomber
9:45 Tigger's Holidays
10:00 Dr. Paul
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Australians Plan Base in Antarctic

WASHINGTON — The first for either floats or skis, will accompany the expedition.

permanent research station on the Antarctic continent will be set up this year by a group of Australian scientists who will explore on new building materials to combat the savage cold.

The central building of a 70-man camp will be a new type of plastic hut 24 by 12 feet which will house radio, meteorological and surgical workrooms, a surgery and a photographic dark room. The walls will have a core of foamed plastic four inches thick made by a process recently developed in England.

On either side sheets of fireproof waterproof plywood will be sandwiched in aluminum with joints sealed by rubber gaskets.

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The same building system according to the Australian government, will apply to walls, floor and roof. The roof is to be flat so that wind will keep it clear of snow while a hatch to serve as a door when the building is buried in snow, as it probably will be.

Three other sides of the camp will be wooden and similar to those used in expeditions of the past. One will serve as living quarters, another will house the engine room and workshop. The third a 20-man hut of galvanized iron will be a storeroom.

Tracked snow vehicles—the well-one American Weasel with a cabin on top, have been purchased from the French Arctic expedition and will haul "trayaxes" in which the expedition can work, sleep and eat. Norwegian built hickory sledges will carry fuel and other supplies. Two small planes, suited

Arctic Isles Safely Held By Canada

OTTAWA (CP)—Canada is maintaining "effective occupation" over her northern islands and there is no likelihood of their being claimed by the United States, a northern affairs spokesman said Monday.

He was commenting on a Winnipeg dispatch quoting Rt. Rev. D. B. Marsh of Toronto, Anglican bishop of the Arctic as saying some of the Canadian islands occupied by U.S. weather-station personnel may eventually become American because no Canadian has ever lived there.

Bishop Marsh said the Americans after some years simply announce that some island is no longer a Canadian possession since no Canadian has ever occupied it.

WEATHER STATIONS

The spokesman, in replying, said there are five weather stations in the Arctic area known as Queen Elizabeth Islands. All these stations are under command of a Canadian official. Half of the remaining station personnel is Canadian and the other half American.

There is no weather station up there occupied simply by Americans, he said.

It could be argued, he added that a country, in order to maintain sovereignty had to show "effective occupation" over the islands that it have some of her people or installations located there.

He said Canada maintains occupation by having her police officers patrol the area, by having Canadian Eskimos in that locality, and by having the RCAF fly through the area on operational work.

REVELSTOKE (CP) — Property owners here voted Saturday overwhelmingly in favor of a $700,000 by-law to provide a 1,000-kilowatt diesel for the city's municipal power plant.

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WHITE PLAINS, N.Y. (AP)—forced by terms of a court Movie queen Rita Hayworth agreement to concede that in a won back custody of her two legitimate sense at least, the small daughters Monday after complaint was not unfounded. she was pronounced "a loving it was agreed there was no and devoted mother." evidence of wilful neglect.

Two of her ex-husbands joined. The little girls, Rebecca 9, her ex-husband, Dick and Yasmin 4, were left with Hayworth in defending the red a governess, earlier this month and child when Rita and Hayworth were in Florida for a two-week date.

However, Rita's lawyer was satisfied.

Rubber Ruling Upheld

TORONTO (CP) — A court crown submitted 4,326 docuordered, restraining five of Canadian companies and said the companies, major rubber companies doing business totalling $178,000 from any further combine or 600 from 1947 to 1952. price-fixing activities was upheld Monday by the Ontario Court of Appeal.

They pleaded guilty April 8, 1953, to conspiring to fix prices. Each was fined $10,000 in Ali-Justice Treblaven for the agreement.

The five major companies are Goodyear Tire and Rubber Co. the companies challenged the of Canada Ltd., Dominion Rubber constitutionality of the restraining order.

Dunlop Tire and Rubber Co. Ltd., Gutta Percha and Rubber Ltd. and B. F. Goodrich Rubber Company of Canada Ltd.

At the trial last year, the fined twelve other rubber firms and the Rubber Associations of Canada were also fined $10,000 each last year. Four firms were

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Capt. D. Proudfoot Heads Fund Drive For Salvation Army

Capt. D. J. Proudfoot, Victoria ex-chief fire [illegible] MLA for Victoria, has been appointed chairman of the Salvation Army's 1954 campaign for funds.

The drive to raise $40,000 for the Army's work of mercy in Greater Victoria will open May 3 and continue until May 31 [illegible] James H. [illegible] of the advisory board announced.

Although goods are donated and the budget is [illegible] the Salvation Army has not raised [illegible]

CAPT. D. J. PROUDFOOT

To launch the Red Shield campaign the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation will present an hour long "Salute to the Salvation Army" Friday.

The broadcast, which features nationally known radio artists, will include dramatized inserts and reports of Salvation Army work from Newfoundland to Victoria.

It will be broadcast over radio stations CBR Vancouver at 7:30 p.m.

Welfare Plan Open To Married Women

Married women may participate in the new Victoria Chamber of Commerce employee's welfare plan, but they will be treated as single persons and the benefits will not extend to their husbands and children.

Herbert Plumbe, secretary of the chamber, gave this explanation to directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday.

The plan is open to member firms with more than three and not more than 25 employees. Seventy-five per cent of the eligible employees must take part and also 75 per cent of the eligible members.

T. L. Dent, director said the initial response to the plan had been heartening and there was little doubt that the requisite number would join.

"We hope we may cover 3,000 people," said Mr. Denny.

Talks Move To Settle Transport Jurisdiction

OTTAWA (CP) — A feeling that the federal government and provincial highways conference must have jurisdiction over major steps. Monday toward interprovincial and international highway traffic control of road-rail grade crossing problems found expression.

The Federal government while it fought for times border control before the courts against the claims of several provinces, governments, but members would be willing to take power exercised such power over this responsibility.

However it appeared unlikely the long-disputed issue would be disposed of finally at the highway conference due to end Wednesday.

Expectations were that invitations would be drafted here and go back to the various cabinets for study.

PRIVY COUNCIL RULING

The conference was called in the federal government as the result of a February decision of the judicial committee of the Privy Council in London.

'UNDERSTANDING' SOUGHT

It ruling the federal government had no jurisdiction over interprovincial and international highways traffic.

The Federal government while it fought for times border control before the courts against the claims of several provinces, governments, but members would be willing to take power exercised such power over this responsibility.

And now the Privy Council verdict came down it said it wanted to turn the roads established power over to the provinces.

The ramps assembled Saturday afternoon on the airport property. The boys being required to walk the last mile with their packs and tent parts.

Enthused by the success of the scheme Victoria and District Boy Scout Association plans a repeat performance in the fall.

Mrs. William Hills and Roy L. Clayton conducted a church parade Sunday, while Catholic Scouts attended Our Lady of Lourdes Church, Hanbury Street.

Scouts will be in occupancy on July and Cubs will take over in August this year at the annual Scout Club summer camp at Camp Barnard, Sooke.

A special training course for Club leadership will be held next Sunday. Physical planning training course for the north will be held on Brentwood Bay on May 1.

Close to 1,000 boys will attend the Club field day at Brentwood Bay May 1.

Boy Scout Campers Praised by Leaders

Some 200 members from Greater Victoria, Saanich Peninsula and Sidney troops, and nothing but praise for the boys, about three hundred attended a Boy Scout campfire at Gordon Head during the week end.

The Scouts made themselves comfortable in their tents, cooked their own cooking and engaged in some instructive outdoor activities.

Praise for the campers came from Freeman King, president of the association, and Camp director Gordon A. Barr, the local committee chairman.

Egg Prices Take Jump

Prices jumped two cents a dozen on Grade A large and medium eggs, wholesalers reported yesterday.

New table of wholesale prices was reported as Grade A large 47 to 49 A medium 43 to 45. A small, 35 to 37. and Grade B, 36. Prices to producers are Grade A large 38 A medium 36 A small 31 and Grade B, 26.

An increase on imported cucumbers and tomato prices from Florida was also reported, the consequence of heavy rains ruining crops.

Island grown hothouse tomatoes are reaching the markets, prices varying from 58 cents to 70 cents a pound retail.

Mexican cantaloupes expected to retail at about 40 cents each Thursday. Hot House lettuce 5 for large sized due Tuesday.

California strawberries are also being imported.

British prices dropped slightly, now retailing at about 70 cents a pound. A 5-pound duty has been placed on imported asparagus with the beginning of the Canadian

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The Courtroom Parade

Motorist Fined Total of $275 On Two Charges

Robert E. Peterson, 1150 Dockyard, was fined $250 or 32 days in police court yesterday when he pleaded guilty to an impaired driving charge.

Magistrate H. C. Hall also imposed a $25 penalty when Peterson admitted driving without a license.

Const. James Smith told the court that the accused collided with two other cars near the Johnson Street underpass about 11:20 p.m. Saturday.

The officer said Peterson was crossed to the wrong side of the street while travelling east and collided with the front of an on-coming car. He then kept going until it collided head-on with another car.

An expectant mother in one car was taken to hospital suffering shock, added the officer.

The magistrate said he would recommend suspension of Peterson's license.

A last-minute decision to make a right turn cost John M. Bailey, 276 Memorial Crescent, a $35 fine when he pleaded guilty to careless driving.

Police said that about 1:20 a.m. April 18, Bailey attempted a right turn from the outside lane of Fort onto Pandora, and collided with a car on the inside lane. Total damage was $100.

Bailey said he had intended keeping on Fort, but decided to turn at the last minute and did not see the other car.

David Ross Smith, 511 Vancouver was also fined $35 when he pleaded guilty to a careless driving charge.

The court was told his car struck two pedestrians on a Douglas Street crosswalk at about 8:25 a.m. April 11. They suffered minor abrasions.

Magistrate Hall said he would recommend Smith's license be suspended.

Although a quarrel between two old friends has been patched up, a stray punch cost Robert P. Sproule, 1254 Oakmount, $10 when he pleaded guilty to assault.

The court was told the trouble arose over a debt but that apologies had been tendered and the trouble settled.

Frank L. Payne, 845 Balmoral was fined $15 when he admitted speeding on Douglas.

Virginia George made her second appearance in less than a week on an intoxication charge under the Indian Act. She received the same sentence as before, $10 or three days but was warned of heavier penalties in future.

Jagat Singh Basi, 2565 Cook pleaded not guilty to impaired driving when Saanich court sat, and was remanded to April 29 for hearing.

Speeders were predominant at the afternoon session of Esquimalt court.

Hardest hit was Donald A. Bowman, HMCS Ontario, who was fined $15 for driving over 30, and $25 for driving without a license.

Paul E. Pepin 251 Cook was assessed $20 for speeding. Fined $15 each for similar offenses were Fred Gardener of Glen Lake and Alan R. Christiansen 346 Island Highway.

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Wednesday, April 28, 8 a.m.

All Albion, Belmont and Colquitz telephones will be converted to dial operation at 8 a.m., Wednesday of this week (April 28). At that time all numbers in these three districts will be changed to five numerals with no exchange name letters. At the time of the cut-over, the Victoria exchange names, Beacon, Empire and Garden will be replaced by the numbers 2, 3 and 4, respectively.

To ensure a smooth conversion, all Greater Victoria subscribers are asked to read and to remember the following points:

1. Consult your new directory before calling.

2. Free calling will go into effect between Victoria, Albion, Belmont and Colquitz and between the latter three districts themselves. Albion, Belmont and Colquitz will commence to pay the same rates as Victoria.

3. All Albion, Belmont and Colquitz numbers will be changed. Instead of an exchange name prefix, each will begin with a numeral prefix, followed by four digits. The prefix for Albion will be 7, for Belmont, 8, and for Colquitz, 9. For example, typical telephone numbers might be:

7-1234
8-2345
9-3456

4. All exchange name prefixes in Victoria will be replaced by single numeral prefixes. Beacon will change to 2, Empire to 3 and Garden to 4. Typical Victoria telephone numbers might be:

Beacon-4567 changed to 2-4567
Empire-5678 changed to 3-5678
Garden-6789 changed to 4-6789

5. It will not be necessary to dial an operator on calls between Victoria, Albion, Belmont or Colquitz. Each subscriber will dial numbers himself anywhere within the free calling area.

6. There will be a maximum of four subscribers on each party line.

7. There will be no party line letters at the end of numbers for party line telephones.

8. Subscribers wishing to call other telephones on their own party lines should refer to the instruction card left with each subscriber by a telephone man.

9. As the number "5" will not be in use as a numeral prefix, subscribers dialing this number erroneously will hear a rising and falling buzzing tone. This is called "The No Such Number Tone" and indicates that the caller should check the number in a directory and dial again.

10. In Albion, Belmont and Colquitz, subscribers are asked not to touch their old telephone sets after the cut-over. Use of old telephone sets may interfere with incoming calls. Parents, particularly, are asked to co-operate by preventing children from tampering with the old sets.

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U.K. LEADERS OPPOSE INDO-CHINA ACTION

Same Husband, Ninth Wife

Tommy Manville, much-married asbestos heir, appears pleased as his ninth wife, Anita Roddy-Eden Manville, lights his cigarette after a separation suit hearing in New York supreme court. Anita is the first of his wives to get Tommy to make a personal appearance in court.—(Central Press Canadian.)

Clash Averted As Talks Begin On Korea Issue

GENEVA (CP) — The Geneva conference on Korea and Indo-China opened Monday with an unexpected show of harmony. That, said External Affairs Minister Pearson of Canada after the 20-minute curtain-raiser, was "very encouraging—as far as it goes." He added: "The problems of substance remain."

The problems of substance are the long-smouldering Korean issue, to which the conference decided to turn at once, and the urgent question of Indo-China's fate, made more pressing by the precarious position of the French garrison at besieged Dien Bien Phu.

Persevering leg work by Foreign Secretary Eden of Britain and a conciliatory attitude on the part of Soviet chief delegate Molotov enabled the big powers to avert an immediate clash on the conflict status of Red China.

It had been expected that Russia would demand recognition of the Peiping delegation as an equal of the four visiting powers—Britain, France, the United States and the Soviet Union — with Chinese Foreign Minister Chou En-lai sharing the rotating chairmanship.

COMPROMISE FORMULA

Eden and Molotov produced a compromise formula. The chair would be rotated among Eden, representing the West, Molotov for the Soviet bloc and Premier Wan Waithayakon of Thailand representing the lesser powers at the conference. South Africa is the only country not represented here which contributed troops.

For a while it seemed that Pearson might be drafted as the third chairman. Eden had gone to Molotov in the morning proposing that the chair be rotated either among the Big Four or among the heads of all delegations.

Molotov suggested instead the three rotating chairmen. Eden shuttled back and forth between Molotov's headquarters and the offices of the United States delegation, where a meeting was in progress of the countries represented at the conference, which had armed forces in Korea. For Canada at this lunch gathering were Pearson and Chester Ronning, Canadian minister in Norway and a leading expert on China.

Eden obtained agreement for the Molotov plan. He proposed Canada or Thailand for the smaller power. A Soviet spokesman said the Russians raised no objection to this. Eden held further consultations and later proposed Thailand.

Prince Wan, an experienced diplomat, presided at the formal opening.

Late Briefs

Quebec Set for Cruise

HALIFAX (CP)—The navy's light cruiser Quebec will sail from here Friday on a cruise to Madeira Island, Lisbon, Copenhagen and Brest. She will return June 6.

Beer Waiters Strike

EDMONTON (CP)—Beer parlor waiters and service personnel at five Edmonton hotels strike at 1 a.m. today, joining other members of the Beverage Dispensers' and Hotel Service Employees' International Union of America (AFL-TLC) already on strike at Calgary, Lethbridge and Medicine Hat.

Joe Cherrington, union president, said the workers will stay off the job until the hotel operators sign a contract.

Prince Charged as Forger

LONDON (Reuters)—Prince Constantine Niroudis, 21, college boy cousin of ex-Queen Alexandra of Yugoslavia, was committed for trial Monday charged with forging a cheque for $538. The prince pleaded not guilty.

Gunfire Erupts on Border

TEL AVIV (Reuters)—An Israeli military spokesman said Egyptian troops in the Gaza strip opened fire with heavy mortars, machine-guns and rifles Monday on an Israeli patrol within its own territory. It marked the third straight day that gunfire has broken out along the Egyptian-held Gaza strip.

Cohn 'Briefs' McCarthy

Roy M. Cohn, left, chief counsel for Senator McCarthy, exchanges whispered comments with his chief during the Washington hearings on the fiery senator's squabble with the U.S. army.

Assurance Sought

Churchill Expected To Face Anxious Queries in House

LONDON (Reuters) Anxious British politicians are expected to press Prime Minister Churchill for reassurance that Britain will not get actively involved in the Indo-China battle when Parliament reassembles today after its Easter recess.

Diplomatic events have moved swiftly during the 12-day adjournment while the deliberations of the French military position in meetings Washington and in Indo-China has forced Official leaders, probably will make western policy decisions.

Politicians of Churchill's own Conservative party, as well as the Labor opposition are anxious for a clear statement from the prime minister on Britain's possible role in Indo-China.

The cabinet almost certainly decided its position on the subject over the week end, when Foreign Minister Eden interpretedly flew here from Paris to attend the first cabinet session called on a Sunday in seven years. Eden then hurried on to the Geneva conference where he was reported to have told U.S. Secretary Dulles that Britain can make no substantial response to France's urgent appeal for help.

TROOPS CONSIDERED

Earlier reports here said that the cabinet was weighing the possibilities of shifting some of Britain's 30,000 troops in Malaya to Indo-China.

Clement Attlee, the Labor party leader, plans to ask Churchill today in Parliament whether he can clarify the events of the week end and make a statement on Indo-China.

Another Labor member, Reginald Sorensen, already is scheduled to ask Churchill for assurance that the government has made and will make no agreement with the United States on Asian defence measures without full consultation with other members of the Commonwealth.

The Labor party is disturbed by the Conservative Eden-Dulles talks powered with full investigatory power to explore the possibilities powers and probably will consist of three judges, one each Asia and the western Pacific if from the supreme courts of the Geneva conference makes no New South Wales Victoria and progress on Indo-China. South Australia.

Both the shadow cabinet and Labour's governing committee, the national executive, are scheduled to consider the Asian part of the Prime Minister's report to Wednesday's meetings. Official leaders probably will ask for a clear-cut statement of policy that will be acceptable to both the critical left-wing faction supporting Aneurin Bevan and the more moderate elements of the party.

Aussies Set Up Probe

CANBERRA, Australia (CP) — Australia set up a royal commission to investigate disclosures by a confessed Soviet spy of a wide-spread Russian espionage network in Australia.

The commission will look into revelations by the former Soviet third secretary in the Russian Canberra embassy, Vladimir Petrov. Early this month Petrov asked the Australians for asylum and confessed he was the chief spy in a Soviet espionage ring here.

The Russians last Friday broke off diplomatic relations with Australia in protest this country's handling of the Petrov case and that of his blonde wife who also asked asylum.

Names and details of the commission will be announced tomorrow, government sources said. The commission is empowered with full investigatory power to explore the possibilities powers and probably will consist of three judges, one each Asia and the western Pacific if from the supreme courts of New South Wales Victoria and South Australia.

Thousands Leave Spokane

Evacuation Test Sobering Success

SPOKANE (AP)—Spokane stamped "Operation Walkout" a sobering success Monday and officials said it proves a metropolitan area could probably be evacuated quickly in event of an A-bomb attack.

Despite wind, rain and 40-degree weather, more than 11,000 people poured out of buildings and marched in "safety" to the area chatter of 30-million-machine guns on roof tops and the noise of aerial "bombs."

"I was astounded" said Vice-Admiral Daniel Barbey, the state civil defense director who watched the exercise from atop a building at the city center.

A "red alert" siren blast started the walkout. Eight minutes later the downtown streets were in this city of 175,000 were deserted.

Except for steel helmeted troops, some with bayonets fixed, and uniformed block warden desks, the streets were empty.

The machine guns on top of four buildings cut loose with the first of 3,000 rounds when two Sabre jets roared overhead. The harmless "bombs" and the guns firing blanks went off at the last of their blanks. More effective intervals

Fifteen minutes after the first siren, a mobile public address unit went through the empty streets, advising that enemy planes were near. Two minutes later it ordered everyone, even troops and wardens, were to take cover.

Some compared the spectacle of the gloomy skies, wet, empty streets and scattered of battle to wartime London.

"It reminded me of Manila in a small World War," said the Admiral Barbey.

LEAFLETS MISS

Five minutes before the theoretical A-bomb was to be dropped, 125 leaflets flew over, but missed the target with the leaflets reading, "This could be a real A-bomb attack."

Promptly on schedule, a 10 ton B-36 bomber, prime atom bomb carrier of the U.S. Air Force, roared over the city centre at about 1,200 feet ft. was then that the bomb was presumed to have dropped.

The National Guard gunners fired blank shots at the last of their blanks. More "bombs" were shot off. The "all clear" signal was sounded from a siren that can be heard for 10 miles.

School Projects Total $1,500,000

Approval to spend more than $1,500,000 on new school building and improvements will be sought by the school board of the District 63 on May 29, it was decided during a meeting of the board in Sidney last night.

The board was unanimously in favor of the plan to put the question of increased school expenditures to the Saanich ratepayers in referendum form.

The program ratepayers will be asked to approve will include 22 projects spread over work ran begin soon after the a short period. Four of the referendum is approved. proposed projects are entirely new buildings.

Also being requested is a new school board office building. The remaining 17 projects will be awarded cross-examine "one" phase which involved Mr. Cathy's counsel charges.

He demanded to know if

Chinese Troops Claimed in War

NEW YORK (AP)—An NBC correspondent said Monday night Red China has sent three divisions of troops into the fighting in Indo-China. He described 15,000 fresh troops marched into Indo-China from China last March 25 and were integrated into the Vietminh army of the Communist rebels.

The report by NBC correspondent Hon Whitehead from Hong Kong was aired on the "News of the World" program. The three divisions, he said, were "travelled volunteers" like those sent into Korea against United Nations forces.

"Also," Whitehead continued, "since last September one of attempts to thwart the Communist China's top organizers, Gen. Ho Hong has been form an army of a quasi expeditionary and manpower could be called force of 100,000 Chinese pro-in time.

Meanwhile the French high command parachuted reinforcements into Dien Bien Phu, and was reported rushing plans for a top secret coup to save the tottering fortress.

Informed sources said the success of an eleventh hour attempt to thwart the Communist siege army, depended on whether enough air power proved to be in large enough to cover requirements within the forseeable future.

It is reported that preliminary work has begun soon after the

Total cost of the program is (Others at $1,562,500.

Romance of Goose and Swan

Love Child a 'Swoose'!

YORK, England (Reuters)—A swan named Charlie who fell in love with a common mop farmyard goose became the father of a "swoose" Monday.

The little one looks just like "dad" long beak, graceful neck and big feet and he whistles.

For Jane, the farmyard mother, the quaint romance has meant a new home and a devoted husband and child, both of them far more elegant than her sister goose back on the farm.

The romance began when Charlie a prized possession of the park commission flew from his lake home to a nearby farm and espied the goose. He was such a devoted lover that the park attendant could not get him back to the park lake.

So the commission forked out £5 to buy Janey and give her a home on the lake beside her devoted boy friend. Thus the egg was laid and Monday out came the "swoose."

In Army Red Hunt

McCarthy Charge Denounced as Lie

WASHINGTON (CP)—Army Secretary Robert T. Stevens denounced Monday as an "unequivocal lie" the charge by Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy that Stevens tried to shield McCarthy's Red hunt to the navy and air force.

He also denied under oath that the army used Pfc G. David Schine, former McCarthy aide, as a "hostage" to discourage McCarthy's inquiry into alleged Red infiltration at the army's Ft. Monmouth, N.J., radar centre.

Fighting at times to control his temper, Stevens contended he tried to get the Wisconsin Republican to suspend the Fort Monmouth, N.J. security investigation and let the army take over.

But he said this was only because McCarthy gave a "very unfair" picture of the situation there with his "constant hammering in the headlines." He said he made clear that McCarthy could renew the inquiry if McCarthy felt the army's investigation was "unsatisfactory."

Stevens testified for the third day as witnesses for the Senate investigating subcommittee into the army's charges that McCarthy and Roy M. Cohn his chief counsel used "improper means" to seek favored treatment for Schine.

MOST TRYING DAY

It was by far the most trying day for Stevens, who faces more of the same today. The earlier hearings had dwelt on his detailed presentation of the army's case with little searching or hot tempered questioning.

At the end of the session, Stevens was told to refresh his memory on certain points and "utilize particularize" to withdraw his charge against sub committee staff director Francis P. Carr, one of its principals in the case.

Special Counsel Ray H. Jenkins, questioning himself adroitly shaped as he began the awarded "cross-examination" phase which involved Mr. Cathy's counsel charges.

He demanded to know if

RAY H. JENKINS

vision audience at the televised inquiry hearings into applause for McCarthy. This was when Mr. Carthy complained that questioning by Sen. John L. McClellan (D. Ark.) charged the "unfair" implication that McCarthy could be "bought off."

"There's no evidence he (McCarthy) can ever be bought off, he never will be bought off," McCarthy said, referring last August.

Miss Dayless testimony at the preliminary hearing of the trial case Friday set in motion the investigation that led to Mr. Lewis's arrest on a murder charge.

She said in court that MacLeod threatened her during a Monday the. Eisenhower administration has not abandoned played in the case Carr was told her he had committed the the idea of sending American listed in the army's charges perfect crime when he took his fighting forces to Indo-China as Mr. Stevens said earlier he was wife boating. He had told her, a last resort.

Boast to Girl Claimed

Murder Charge Laid In 'Perfect Crime'

WELLAND, Ont. (CP)—In a claim that Mr. MacLean boasted to a boating on the Welland River girl friend that he drowned his wife and was asked around until his wife, a nice-whomever had drowned, called in a murder charge against the 23-year-old Welland man.

MacLean was remanded in custody to April 30 after his arrangement before Justice of the Peace J. D. Watt. He was charged after two hours of interrogation by Welland police.

FRIEND IN WAIL

Only a few hours earlier, he had been released on $600 bail on a charge of obtaining $1,600 by fraud from 20-year-old Sylvia Dukes of Port Colborne. Girl, who became engaged to marry another.

She said, that he upset the canoe in which he and his wife were paddling on the Welland River and was asked around until his wife, a nice-whomever had drowned.

TRIMMED ACCIDENT

The drowning of 20-year-old Elizabeth Doreen MacLean was deemed accidental at that time.

Miss Dayles, in testimony Friday, said MacLean threatened to get rid of her if she persuaded his mother-in-law against him. She said she gave MacLean $1,600 to pay off a loan on a house after they had spent the money on a car, entertainment and clothing for herself and his three-year-old son.

Sending Men Still Possible

WASHINGTON (AP)—Highly placed officials said Monday the Eisenhower administration has not abandoned the idea of sending American fighting forces to Indo-China as a last resort.